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29 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30

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The Lot of the Jews :

A Pro-Hitler Answer

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—ANTI-HITLER's question has been answered a long time ago. Tacitus (A.D. 55-120) said the Jews were "objects of loathing to the human race," and added:—

Everything which is sacred in our eyes they mock at; conduct which we denounce as criminal they regard with approval. This nation is the most degraded of all nations.

Pope Clement VIII (1605) said:—

All the world suffers from the usury of the Jews, their monopolies and their deceptions. They have brought many unfortunate people to a state of poverty, especially farmers, working-class people and the very poor.

Benjamin Franklin, the famous scientist, statesman and philosopher and one of the framers of the American Constitution, spoke as follows:—

In whatever country Jews have settled in any great numbers, they have lowered its moral tone and its commercial integrity. Have sneered at and tried to undermine the Christian religion; have build up a State within a State and when opposed have tried to strangle that country to death financially. If you do not exclude them from the United States in this Constitution in less than 200 years our descendants will be working in the fields to furnish them sustenance, while they will be in their counting houses rubbing their hands.

Thomas Carlyle (1795—1881) said:—

Actually and spiritually, the Jews only deal in money, gold and old clothes; of real wealth they have contributed nothing. No State can thrive where Jesus and Judas have equal rights.

General Grant (1861) in the course of the American Civil War, said:—

The Jews are a class of people violating every regulation of Trade established by the Treasury Department and also Department orders. They are therefore expelled from the Department within 24 hours from the receipt of this order.

A very high Jewish authority, Theodor Herzl, leader of the Zionists in 1897, has shown that the effluxion of time has not altered the nature of the Jews, in his book "A Jewish State":—

When we sink, we become a revolutionary proletariat, when we rise, there rises also our terrible power of the purse.

My last authority, Oscar Levy, also a Jew, wrote a long letter to G. Pitt-Rivers, the author of a book "The World Significance of the Russian Revolution." This letter was quoted in the Preface to that book. I take the following extracts:—

Your anti-Semitism is only too well grounded....We have erred, my friend, we have most grievously erred. We who have promised to lead you to a new Heaven, have finally succeeded in landing you into a new Hell.....I look at this world and I shudder at its ghastliness.

Oscar Levy crowned his statements by saying:—

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PRO-HITLER.

Shanghai, Sept. 10.

Jessfield Park :

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To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—After an absence of two months I yesterday took up my fall schedule which takes me back and forth across Jessfield Park only to find all the gates on Jessfield Road behind the shell locked and no watchman in sight. I finally went to the caretaker's office, where several men were sitting talking, and after some moments persuaded one of the men to unlock a small back gate and let me out on condition that I was to ask it "only this one time, not any more."

On reaching St. John's University and asking questions great was my surprise to find that these gates are locked daily from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. and that several weeks ago a petition signed by more than 300 cardholders now residing on the campus had been sent to the P.W.D. without even the courtesy of a reply. Not only that, but the young theological student who presented the petition had been most discourteously treated.

May I ask why nothing is being done to remedy so great an inconvenience to probably the largest group of card-holders, when only five hours of a watchman's time is being saved? Would the appropriate department of the Council explain this necessity?

INCONVENIENCED.

Shanghai, Sept. 10.

Statesmanship :

A Plebian's Thanksgiving

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—"Soothe her Thin problem!" remarked the motherly apothecary as she compounded her noted emollient; and she was more soundly scientific then, than perhaps she was aware of. And there is no problem but is thin until made thick by sheer thick-headedness. And the best means to their solution, even when thickened, has ever been, and is, sedativism applied. But, alas! it is the "unexpected that happens in diplomacy", particularly when one of the little boys tries his new hatchet—it is called by other names in diplomacy—on an apple tree, slips and hits an innocent-looking bomb nearby.

But to shorten the argument; or to present it in shorts, a la cinema. Pin-pricking is always a dangerous diversion, as said a patient elephant, with a wink. Nor is the matter improved any, for the concerned, by the keeper, (of peace, I speak) siding with the winsome little gentleman with the pin. And I have never yet heard of a box of matches being deterred by threats and warnings from doing what it naturally would, when rubbed to ignition. And as with matches, so with human nature. Nature has made it so to do. Hence, man—the living menace to man. A truth, and the warning it carries, that had moved caution to evolve what we call civility and civil usage, —or sedativism in civic form.—and for the practice of which is diplomacy, and diplomats, proper.

Nor does muddling (its bad imitation) always muddle through. But muddles more often, as history tells, into the puddle, or something deeper. A truth the venturesome, with a piece of twine and a bent pin, will never understand, even though oft fished out of it with a boat hook.

And to think that the solemn fate of nations are often left in their hands—this tragic foolery! And what it has done in the East, it now threatens to do in the West. And if a flash in the pan follows as a natural corollary, somebody else in somewhere else is going to go without his breakfast, and the little ones crying with their dams, with sore fingers and empty stomachs. And this too often repeated, and there's going to be a famine.

This tragic comedy! This royal game of Kings, sometimes called "statesmanship!" Thank heavens that I remain, and hope to, just a plain, plebian fool!

TOUCHSTONE.

Shanghai, Sept. 11.

The Dash Defined by Civil Service

To such classic queries as "Why is a mouse when it spins?" and "How long is a piece of string?" may now be added a new one, thought out by the Civil Service Commission—"What is a dash?"

The right answer, according to the Commission, is: "A dash must be represented by a hyphen with a space on each side; a hyphen without spaces will not be accepted as dash, nor will two or three hyphens placed side by side, whether accompanied by spaces or not.

The rule was laid down in the French examination paper for clerical officers and shorthand typists of the Foreign Office this year.

Hints for Examiner

For sheer palpitating suspense value it would be hard to surpass the hints given to the examiner in French shorthand.

Before reading the passages for shorthand dictation, states the paper, the reader will make the following announcement, which should be read slowly:' Please put down your pens and pencils for a few moments. I will tell you when to take them up. In order that you may be comfortable and at ease for this test, and may get used to my voice, I will read a short preliminary passage....'"

After he has read it, he continues: You have already been given certain information on your time-table and on it you were told that you would be given an opportunity to bring to my notice any matter to which you wished to call attention. Now is the time, so please put up your hand if you have anything to say.

Those present presumably seize the opportunity in the best diplomatic tradition to make a démarche, produce something sur le tapis, and generally leave no stone unturned.

These matters having been disposed of the reader will then pause until the supervisor signals him to go on. While hearts pound madly he reaches zero hour. Even the official notes excitedly give way at this point to exclamation marks. I shall now read the first passage of 200 words at a speed of 40 words a minute.

Take up your pens and pencils. Ready!

After which there should have sounded the staccato report of the starter's pistol, instead of the examiner's voice intoning, "Il y a quelque mois parut à Berlin une brochure anonyme...."

Conditions at Laoshan

FROM A CORRESPONDENT

Laoshan, Sept. 3.

As the situation at Laoshan is rather uncertain and even dangerous for foreigners at present, owing to the changed attitude of the Chinese irregulars, now swarming in this district, I have finally decided to evacuate to Tsingtao, where I shall remain until this incident or war is over.

After nearly two years continuous residence at Laoshan, I am sorry to leave, even temporarily, but the situation here has deteriorated to such an alarming extent lately that immediate evacuation to Tsingtao is advisable.

Whereas formerly the Chinese irregulars here were well-disciplined and very friendly to foreigners, the reverse is now the case. They have lately forcibly entered and occupied empty foreign-built and foreign-owned houses here, a thing they have never done before. Not content with this, they are even asking the few foreign residents here for monetary contributions—"for our protection" as they put it!

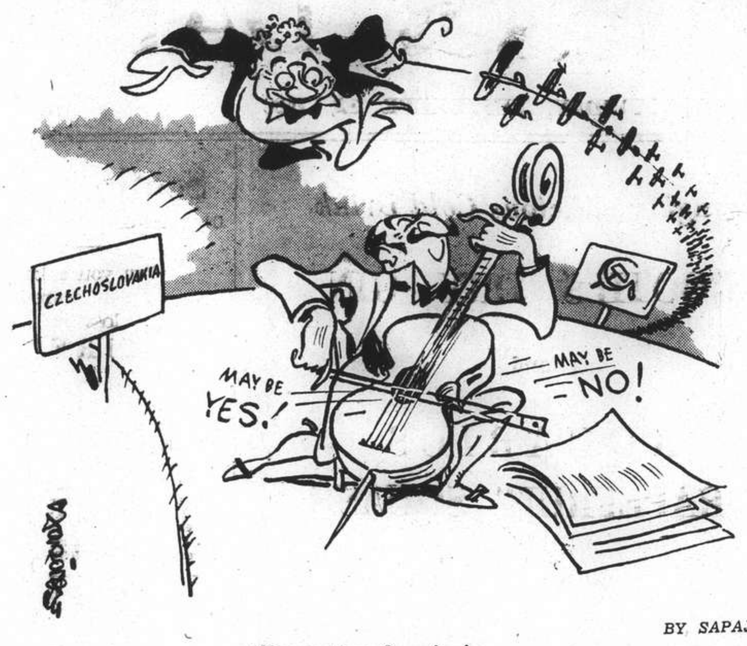
Although there is still no immediate danger to foreigners here, the situation worsened to such an extent that anything can happen now, hence our reluctant decision to evacuate to town, while it is still possible to do so.

With the irregulars living in foreign houses as our close neighbours, there is now the additional danger of bombings by Japanese aeroplanes. Perhaps this is the main reason why they now occupy foreign houses at Laoshan as they have been repeatedly bombed out of villages in the past.

T.U.C. Upholds Veto Against Soviets

Blackpool, Sept. 9.

By 2,619,000 votes to 1,126,000, the Trade Unions conference upheld the decision of the International Federation of Trade Unions not to admit the Soviet Trade Unions in the international group. In conclusion, the conference adopted a general report and re-elected most of the members of the General Council, there being only two changes out of twenty members.—Havas.



BY SAPAJOU

Rumanian Capriccio.

Japanese Diplomatic Advisers Chosen

Gaimusho Given Benefit Of Experienced Envoys

Tokyo, Sept. 10.

Promulgating an Imperial ordinance sanctioned by the Emperor yesterday, the Government today brought into being a system of diplomatic advisers.

Simultaneously with the promulgation of the Imperial ordinance, Mr. Naotake Sato, former Foreign Minister and Ambassador to France and Mr. Hachiro Arita, former Foreign Minister and Ambassador to China, were appointed diplomatic advisers.

In view of the nature of the current China Affair, a Foreign Office announcement said, the Government decided to establish the present system in the Foreign Office and appoint persons well versed in diplomacy as advisers to the Foreign Minister so as to leave nothing desirable undone in dealing with foreign affairs.

The duty of these officials will be to advise the Foreign Minister and to participate in discussions on diplomatic affairs, the announcement continued.

The number of the diplomatic advisers is limited to three who will be given similar treatment as officials of the shinnin rank, that is, appointed by the Emperor.

Diplomatic Changes

Some important changes in diplomatic posts abroad are expected shortly but a definite announcement at this time would be premature, Domei was informed in authoritative quarters tonight.

It was learned that Mr. Masaaki Hotta, Ambassador in Rome, will leave Italy for Tokyo soon. A few days ago it was announced that Mr. Shigeru Yoshida, Ambassador in London, will leave for Japan on October 1 by way of America.

Officials declined to make any further statements tonight.—Domei.

U.S. Neutrality Law Revision Expected

Reconsideration of Aims Probable by Congress

Washington, Sept. 9.

The question of the application of embargos on arms and ammunitions bound for aggressor countries is almost certain to be raised during the next Congress session, Mr. Sam D. McReynolds, Democrat Representative of Tennessee and Chairman of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, declared today.

With regard to the Neutrality Law, Mr. McReynolds asserted, "Many people in this country sympathize with the Chinese and there is already some sentiment favouring the imposition of embargoes only against aggressor nations."

The Neutrality Law at present provides for embargoes on arms and ammunitions destined for all belligerents, not differentiating between aggressors and defenders.

Mr. McReynolds declared he had no doubt that Congress would study new legislation for the Neutrality Law since its present provisions with regard to embargoes on iron, copper and certain raw materials would expire on May 1, 1939.—Haavas.

Dominions Views Must Decide

Anglo-American Trade Negotiations Proceed Most Favourably

London, Sept. 10.

According to the latest indications received here on the Anglo-American trade negotiations, the conclusion of a trade accord between the two countries now defends upon the answer from the Dominions, particularly Canada and Australia, to the British communication on the repercussions in various spheres of the concessions which are to be granted the United State.

Well-informed circles here stressed that these points are only mere details. But which take time to clear up owing to the complex mechanism of imperial procedure.

These quarters therefore refrained from forecasting the date on which the accord would be signed.

They emphasized that neither the Board of Trade nor the State Department would be willing to compromise by a hasty solution of minor points the work of several months and even years, since the main problems have been practically solved.

They stated that the declarations made by President Roosevelt and Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, were sufficient to reveal the political significance of the accord under present circumstances.—Havas.

Unrest Breaks Out in Soviet Ukraine

Warsaw, Sept. 9.

Further unrest has broken out among the population of the Soviet Ukraine, according to the "Kurjer Polski," which states today that members of the Farmers Union have refused to deliver the corn demanded by the Soviet Commission.

At an extraordinary session of the Council of People's Commissars of the Soviet Union in Kiev, official collectors reported that the harvest is being withheld in almost all districts of the Ukraine by the farmers. The Soviet authorities, the Polish paper declares, have decided to adopt measures to force the farmers to give up the corn.—Trans-Ocean.

ACTING under instructions from the Japanese military authorities, the Pootung police authorities of the "Ta Tao City Government" have organised a so-called "Youth Corps" to patrol several districts in the Pootung area against Chinese guerillas, says a report to the "Hwa Mei Wan Pao." Some 1,500 Chinese youths ranging from the age of 16 upwards have been pressed into service, the report states.

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Japanese Plan Iron Exploitation

Tayeh Works to Be Greatly Expanded

Tokyo, Sept. 10.

Acting on the assumption that Hankow will be occupied by Japanese troops before long, officials of the Japan Iron Manufacturing Company have completed arrangements for operating the Tayeh Iron mines, it was disclosed today. Deposits at the mines are estimated to total 50 million tons.

The Japan Iron Manufacturing Company, capitalized at Y.500,000,000, already has invested Y.40,000,000 in the Tayeh mines. The company hopes to increase the annual output of the mines to a million tons.—Domei.

Aaland Islands to Be Fortified

Stockholm, Sept. 9.

The Swedish and Finnish Governments have decided to fortify the Aaland islands which, except during the World War, have been demilitarized since 1856, it was officially announced here last night.

The islands lie on an important trade route between the two countries.

The Swedish Foreign Minister, Dr. J. B. Sandler, has declared that Sweden and Finland would never risk letting the islands fall into foreign hands and the Minister of State, Dr. Cajander, declared over the Finnish radio that the small garrison on the islands would be augmented by Swedish-speaking troops from Finnish territory, but their neutrality will not be impaired.—Trans-Ocean.

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Lesson Sermon

First Church of Christ Scientist

"Substance" was the subject of the Lesson Sermon read in all, Churches of Christ, Scientist throughout the world.

Golden Text: Matthew 5:6. "Blessed are they which do hunger and thirst after righteousness: for they shall be filled."

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson Sermon were the following from the Bible: Psalms 139:-17, 18. "How precious also are thy thoughts unto me, O God! how great is the sum of them! If I should count them, they are more in number than the sand: when I wake I am still with thee."

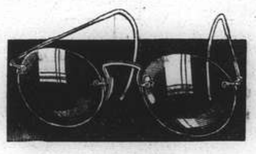
The Lesson Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science Textbook "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy. p468,300. "Substance is that which is eternal and incapable of discord and decay.. Truth, Life, and Loveare substance as the Scriptures use this word in Hebrews; The substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen."

"The universe reflects and expresses the divine substance or Mind; therefore God is seen only in the spiritual universe and spiritual man, as the sun is seen in the ray of Light that goes out from it. God is revealed only in that which reflects Life, Truth, Love,-yea, which manifests God's attributes and power, even as the human likeness thrown upon the mirror, repeats the color, form, and action of the person in front of the mirror."

Sixty Years Ago

FROM THE "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS," OF SEPTEMBER 12, 1878

The following curious incident happened a day or two ago:—A Chinese beggar, who at times was believed to supplement his precarious means of livelihood by thieving, was discovered in the garden of a foreign residence on Bubbling Well Road. On finding himself discovered, he ran off, but was pursued by the gardener, who, overtaking him, struck him on the leg with a bamboo and captured him. In order to secure his captive, the gardener tied his hands behind him, and then fastened the end of the rope to the branch of a tree, drawing the rope tight, but leaving the man's feet touching the ground. In this position the unfortunate was kept, as is stated, for three or four hours, and when at length released, suddenly fell to the ground and expired, the cause of death being believed to be heart disease. The affair has caused some little excitement among the Chinese, and the gardener is in custody, but what further steps will be taken are not at present known.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WOMAN'S PAGE

A Shanghai Letter

By Hester

Like giants refreshed, our friends are returning from holiday resorts emitting great gusts of health, and knocking us limp with accounts of strenuous days spent swimming, hiking, and having a good time generally, don't-you-know, "White faces" they call us, and assure all stay-at-homes that there is nothing like a change; it alters one's outlook, enlarges one's mind, puts beef into one, and drains the nonsense out. We are assured that a change of scene, if only for a few weeks, washes away the Shanghai cobwebs, broadens the view (*and* the figure we could not help interposing to one of our friends), gives one confidence, adjusts to a true perspective, a proper sense of values, a balanced judgment, general tolerance—everything in fact but a swollen pocket book.

Now all, all are back, the old familiar faces—many of them we must admit mightily rejuvenated after rest and change. They may now help us all to battle with the rising tide of prices and general profiteering, for doubtless all this balanced judgment, and true perspective ought to help a lot.

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Prices and Salaries

Most of us were greatly impressed with the scale of market prices printed in the "N.-C.D.N." some days ago which referred to a blissful time some sixty years ago when beef was seven cents a pound, and everything else ridiculously cheap. There is probably no one in Shanghai who remembers those halcyon days, but before exclaiming at the luck people experienced in low costs it is necessary to examine the sort of salaries they received. We are told, and we are not in a position to contradict our informants, that in those days men kept families on one hundred taels a month, and that $500 per mensem was considered a very substantial salary. Somebody here told us about their grandfather who, family legend had it, out of a salary of $250 a month, regularly saved $100 and brought up a family of three children. Be that as it may, neither ourselves nor the grandfather can now refute that statement.

During the past 20 or 30 years salaries have increased tremendously —in some cases 100 or 200 per cent. —so ordinarily, the cost of living is bound to rise. We admit, of course, that in recent months in the race between increased costs and rising salaries, the prize has gone to the former, but on the other hand, we need not despair. Have not our local prophets predicted better times than ever for us in the future? We will therefore hang on by our teeth, and wait for our Prosperity to catch us up by the heels, trusting of course that she will not trip over the small fry we have become, and find her balance and final resting place in some port other than ours.

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On Prophecies

Generally understood, a false prophet is one who prophesies that which we hope will not happen, but which we fear might come to pass. When the crystal-gazer reads for us a fair fortune we say little about her falseness, but if she forsees disaster we recall that forecasters have not invariably told the truth as it has worked out.

In every national crisis someone digs out the prognostications of a clever seer of many generations ago who had foretold all. It was so in the Great War; when this was fairly under way somebody found out that it had all been prophesied years ago. It was only after peace had been declared that we were told what the prophecies concerning results would be, and, strangely enough, they coincided with fact. Now, with the European crisis pending, someone has pointed out that it was all foretold æons ago.

Every period has had its quaint prophecies. In London in the sixties there was a famous divine, a Dr. Cumming, minister of the Scottish Presbyterian Church in Crown Court. He enjoyed an immense reputation among his congregation, and was a most eloquent and logical speaker. He was specially noted for prophesying the imminent end of the world. He had been unfortunate (for his reputation as a prophet), since the dates he had predicted for the final cataclysm had all slipped by uneventfully, but he finally fixed a date in 1867 as the exact date of the Great Catastrophe. His influence with his flock rather diminished when it was learned that Dr. Cumming had renewed the lease on his house for 21 years only two months before the date he had, with absolute certainty, named as the end of the world.

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Amazing Credulity

In a world which prides itself upon being modern it is amazing to find so many otherwise sane people with a pathetic belief in the occult. Many consult the fortune-teller by cards and crystal just for the fun of the thing, but others, and not all of them women, take the matter seriously.

We remember a very famous woman coming to Shanghai some years ago. Her name has slipped our memory but she came from Europe with a mighty, reputation, and a most effective oriental head-dress. She told us that certain European Ministers never put their hand to a Parliamentary Bill without first consulting her, that one great political leader, well-known to us all, attributed his rise to her advice.

We have lost faith in the lady though since she told us that the Prince of Wales, afterwards King Edward VIII, would marry a princess of royal blood. Never a hint did she give about any abdication and she maintained that Edward's bride would be a most popular Queen of England. She should have worded her prophecy more cautiously; had she said that through Edward's marriage England would gain a most popular queen she would have been right, for by our former king's marriage we have gained the extremely popular Queen Elizabeth. So, if you undertake to tell your friends' fortunes by tea-leaves or other simple means at your tea-parties, think twice before you put your prognostication into words. A possible double interpretation has its uses where one's reputation as a seer is concerned.

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Trials of Terraces

We have always heard it said that fat sorrow is better than lean, and though there are some griefs which can in no way be compensated for in any worldly way there are minor troubles which can be considerably aided by ample means.

We would not consider the trials through which we have passed during the past year as major sorrows (that is, speaking of foreigners), according to some standards. So long as we have kept our health, a good roof, and enough to eat, with sufficient to pay for all this, we must regard ourselves as fortunate. One woman we know, when asked how things are with her, invariably replies: "Oh, the baby is well, hubby is still hanging on to his job, we are all fit, so the world is a wonderful place." It is when Fate aims at the baby, one's job, and health that major troubles really arise, so we all try to keep our sense of proportion and to be thankful for small mercies.

Small means, however, can cause a lot of distress to people in Shanghai who, up to the present time, have always been able to live decently and happily despite enforced economy. A case in point arises out of the sub-letting of low-rented but good houses of the terrace type which have always been occupied by clean-living foreigners. Now, in many terraces of this type a few houses in each are let out to hordes of Chinese of the lower classes. Houses which formerly held not more than four or five foreigners now have fifty or sixty Chinese tenants.

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Uncongenial Neighbours

One may be as sorry for these poor Chinese as possible, but tenants of the houses adjacent to those occupied by the hordes make no bones about stating that as neighbours they are impossible. The alleyways and passages to these houses, formerly so pleasant and clean, are now too foul for description, owing to the habits with which we are all familiar, generally practised by these people. Landlords have been approached and will possibly do something about it. Tenants are agitating for eviction of the undesirables but in the meantime for the poor foreigners of cleanly habits, life is impossible day and night. In the Settlement the police and health authorities could perhaps do something, but on the outside roads, where most of this happens, the Council can be in no way to blame for offences unremedied. In the meantime, what is the small man to do since he cannot afford a high rental and so avoid this particular kind of unpleasantness? There seems to be a stratum of society, between the upper and the lowest crusts, which always bears most of the strain in the day of Adversity.

The softening effect of the curled fringe is well shown in this photograph of dark-haired Miss Marcia Ralston. For evening it ties up well with the shoulder-length curls.

Items

Shanghai people at home love to get together. The H. C. Clements who left Shanghai last June took a house in Basingstoke for the summer, and the latest news of them was that they had had fourteen Shanghai folk in to supper one evening. It is a pity Mrs. Clements' good house-boy was not there to give a helping hand, but if the local help gave out we trust that Shanghai guests would prove useful when it came to the washing-up.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pope and their rather large family are happily settled for the time being near London. Mrs. Pope writes to say that she wonders why on earth they all spent so many years in this city since she finds home so very much to her liking.

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Mrs. B. M. Dallas arrived in Shanghai from Australia a few days ago. This long-time resident spent some time in England and was on the point of returning last year when our "war" began so she went on to Australia instead.

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Miss Rice, formerly Matron of the Country Hospital, is now in Ireland but intends shortly to return to Shanghai for the winter. The attractions here are her many friends.

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All Set and Ready

It is believed by those who should know that the situation in Shanghai regarding charities and the distribution of charity is much easier than it was last year. For one thing, and this is important, everything is now organized down to the smallest item; through the association of charities there will be no overlapping in distribution. Everything is properly set and in order, and we are told that there will be no haphazard giving, and no unnecessary refusals. It is likewise gratifying to hear that there is no immediate anxiety about funds for apparently money has continued to flow from somewhere, but where it all comes from is really wonderful.

Not so cheerful is the cry from those who have dealings with the tubercular refugees of which there are many. A while ago, we heard much of the lack of hospital accommodation for mental subjects, and now we hear that there is simply nothing to be done with the tuberculars but to send them back to the camps.

This neat two-piece ensemble with its tunic jacket is new for the autumn and would be good in any plain shade. With it Miss Glenda Farrell wears a Robin-Hood-like hat stuck with a goose quill.

B.W.A. Activities

Members of the British Women's Association are advised that the autumn activities are commencing and Sections are beginning work again. The Hospital Aid Department will meet on Tuesday, September 13, at Headquarters from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. The Social Service Board's next meeting will be on Monday, September 19, at 5 p.m.

The Committee of the Musical and Dramatic Section will discuss its autumn plans on Monday, September 19, at 10 a.m.

The Executive Committee has arranged monthly bridge and mahjongg afternoons at Headquarters, and the first of these will take place on October 13.

Fruit Bottling Without Sugar

This simple method of bottling fruit in cold water answers perfectly, and the fruit has more flavour this way than when it is dealt with by the more usual methods.

Care is necessary in following out the directions. Use air-tight bottles with rubber rings.

Fill bottles of the kind mentione with fruit, and place in pail or any suitable receptacle which will hold four to five inches of water over the top of the bottle. Now turn on tap of cold water, or have a can of cold water and pour over the bottled fruit with some force. This is to pack fruit and force out any impurities. Let water run until bottles are filled and running over an inch or two. Stop tap and wait until all bubbles of air have ceased to rise.

Seal up under water. Take out turn the bottles upside-down. If all are dry next morning all is well. If there is any leaking you must do the work over again. The fruit keeps its flavour as though freshly gathered.

There is no need to put shoulder straps on your under-slip, instead, sew a hook at each part on the under-side of the slip, where a shoulder strap should go. Work a number of eyes one above the other on the straps, and the slips can be worn at any length to suit any dress.

A Beauty Hint

If you wear glasses, you have no doubt discovered that they sometimes leave a little red mark across your nose. To remove this mark, massage a little colourless iodine ointment into it immediately on removing the glasses. Allow a very thin coating of the ointment to remain on the skin and then powder as usual. If you do this each night you will soon discover that the mark has vanished.

To prevent wire mattresses from rusting, apply floor polish with a brush, or give the springs a coat of white or cream paint.

A Woman's Lunch

Eggs Milano

Fry a chopped onion in butter until soft, then add to the pan a cupful of good gravy, half a cupful of pulped tomatoes, 2 culpfuls of drained, boiled rice, and ¼lb. of grated cheese. Season well, and stir over gentle heat until the gravy is practically absorbed.

Put the mixture into a shallow ovenware dish, make slight hollows, and into each drop a raw egg. Add a few small knobs of butter and put in the oven until the eggs are set. Sprinkle with grated cheese.

Rub fish knives and forks or any fishy dishes after washing them with the inside of a lemon rind. This will remove any trace of smell.

Cucumbers and Honey

Face Packs Which Bring New Beauty to Your Face

Your skin needs toning up after the long hot days. Face packs have long been popular for this purpose, and the two deserving of most mention are the cucumber and the honey treatments.

Cucumber and honey packs, naturally, are prepared for different purposes. The cucumber pack is refreshing and toning on the skin. After a hot day you will discover that it is particularly beneficial for toning up your skin so that it will be fresh for a round of evening festivities.

The honey pack is most suitable for use on weather-beaten skins. Although it has no effect on the muscles, it will give the feeling of a deep muscle treatment. Each of these packs is simple and well worth a trial.

The Cucumber Pack

To carry out the cucumber treatment you will require the juice of a fresh cucumber. Before extracting the juice, cut two fairly thick slices from the cucumber and lay them on one side. Then squeeze the juice from the cucumber into an earthenware basin, add a few drops of witch-hazel, and enough powdered magnesia to make a thin paste. Stand the paste on one side (it will slightly thicken itself). Thoroughly cleanse the skin by using plenty of cleansing cream on the face, neck, chin, and upper part of the chest. Then remove the cream with clean face tissues. Make sure that all the cream is removed, otherwise the oiliness will prevent the action of the cucumber pack.

Then take the two slices of cucumber and, holding one in each hand, work them over the face with a circular movement until the whole area of skin which was cleansed with the cream has been covered. To carry out this movement systematically it is advisable to start applying the cucumber at the upper chest and then work upwards. This will not only refresh you, but at the same time the upwards rotary movement of the cucumber application will do much to reinvigorate the skin.

How to Apply the Pack

You are now ready to apply your cucumber pack. Have a long-bristled pastry brush handy and paint the pack over the skin which is to be treated. Do not attempt to apply the pack with your hands, as it will then become rather messy. If you have no pastry brush, use a flat, smooth piece of wood for the purpose.

Allow the pack to remain in contact with the skin for 10 minutes, during which time it will gradually dry, then with wet, warm towels remove the pack from the face. Small pieces which will persist in adhering to the skin can be quite easily sponged away with warm water. After every vestige has been removed from the skin, massage lightly with a little skin food or nourishing cream. All massage movements should start at the lower part of the face and gradually work upwards towards the temples. If you place both hands near the corners of the mouth, you can then gently manipulate the skin with the second and third fingers.

After you have treated the face, you can massage beneath the chin, using an upwards and outwards movement. Then with clean tissues remove the cream and apply your make-up as usual.

The Honey Mask Treatment

To carry out the honey mask treatment, first cleanse the skin with soap and water, then smear a little almond oil over the area to be treated and massage lightly. A hot towel can be laid over the face to assist the skin to absorb the oils. This will help you to receive the utmost penetration. Place some pure honey in an earthenware bowl, and stand this in another bowl of very hot water. This will allow the honey to liquefy and thus aid the ease of application.

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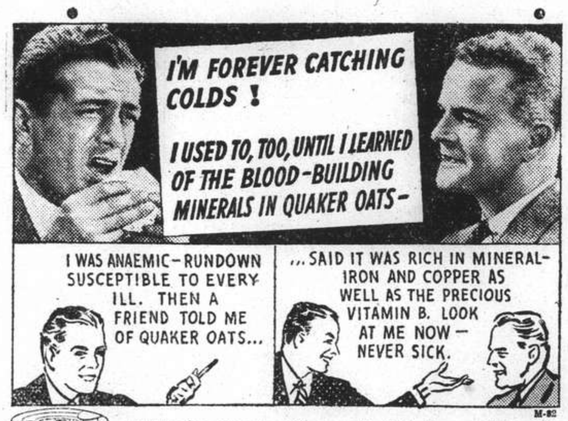

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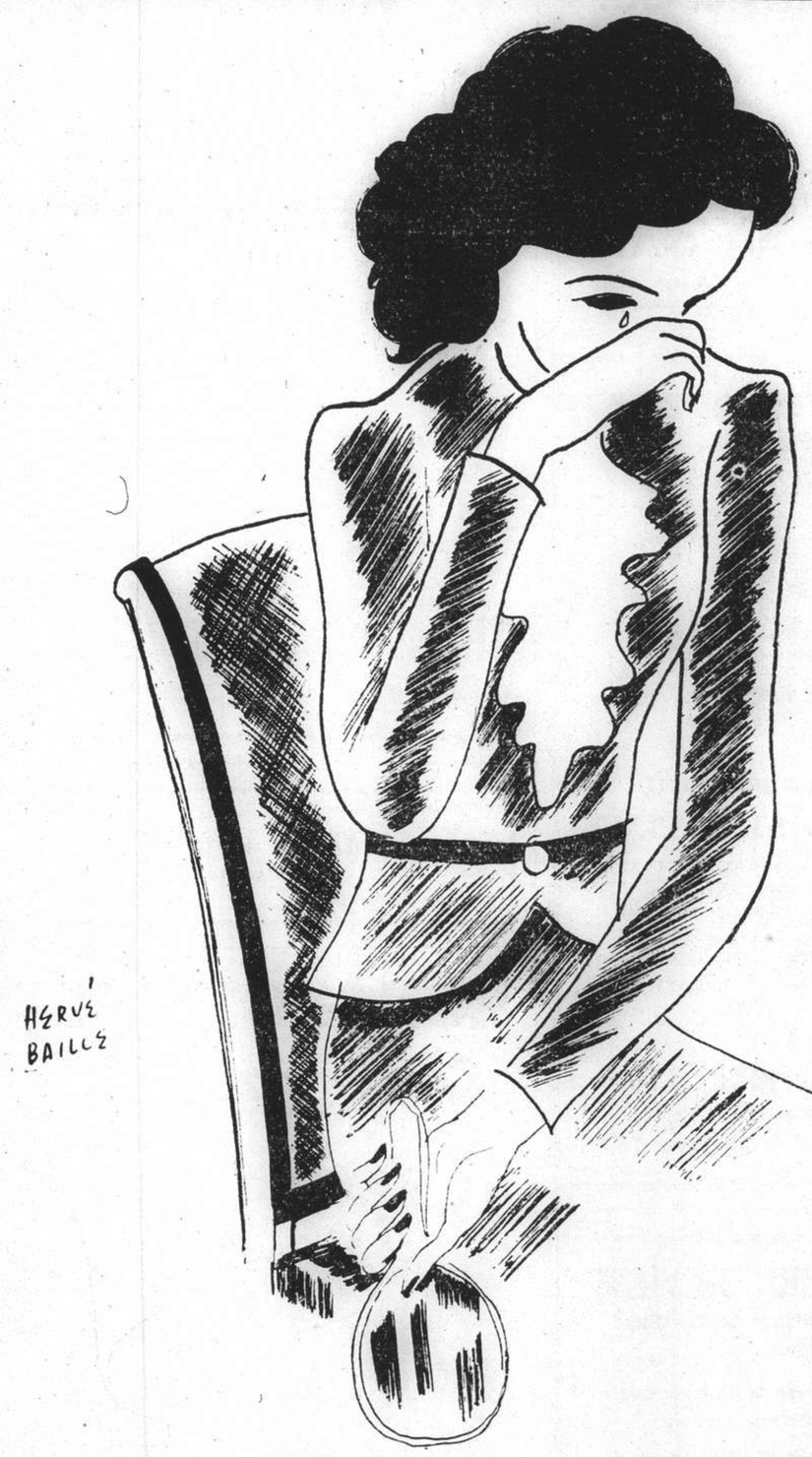

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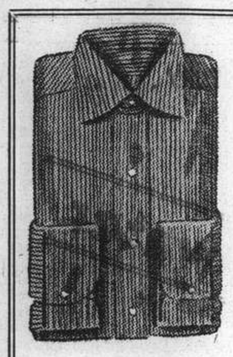

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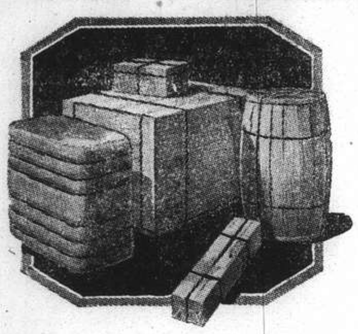

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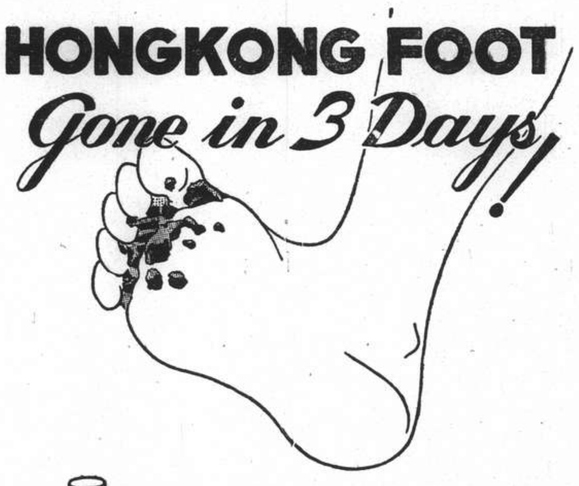

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ROWLAND.—On Saturday, September 10, at the War Memorial Hospital, Hongkong, THOMAS JOHN ROWLAND, aged 77 years. (Hankow papers please copy.) 11267

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THESE ANXIOUS DAYS

It is quite likely that only the events of this present week will prove more important than those of last, and the world at large will await with considerable impatience and anxiety upon the developments which may be expected today. Generally speaking the situation in Europe gradually worsened during the week, and, when following the presentation of the latest Czech proposals an incident caused the Sudeten Germans to refuse to continue negotiations until given satisfaction, it looked as if already matters had been brought to the bursting point. Fortunately the compliance, which Prague has shown in the latest concessions made to the Sudeten demands, was again evidenced in the readiness with which it agreed to deal with those responsible for this latest outrage, and on Friday it was announced that negotiations would again be resumed. The proposals which the Czechoslovak government put forward during the week, despite the early announcements that they were unacceptable to the Sudetens, were later taken as a basis for negotiations. They represented a very big departure from the original position, of the Czechoslovakian Government, and were such that if the Sudeten Germans had persisted in the view that they provided no basis for further conversations they would have placed themselves in a very unfortunate light, in which their stubborness, which has marked their behaviour throughout the whole of the controversy, would have been very greatly emphasized. Perhaps the most dramatic event of the week was the publication of an editorial article in "The Times" suggesting that the real solution of the whole matter would be the cession of the Sudeten areas of Czechoslovakia to the Reich. This article from which the British Government immediately disassociated itself, created satisfaction in Germany, dismay in Czechoslovakia, anxiety in France and considerable embarrassment for Lord Runciman and his entourage.

Why the article was ever published at such a time has not yet been divulged, but it might have had the effect of torpedoing the whole of the British policy *vis-a-vis* of Czechoslovakia, and certainly tended to give some support to those who found British policy to be wavering to such an extent as to corroborate the German view that Britain would not in the ultimate event resort to arms. That view seems to have been adopted by those who realized the enormous pressure Britain was bringing to bear upon the Czechs; it was a particular dangerous one, and encouraging Herr Hitler to take steps which he would not take were he convinced of Britain's firmness in the matter. It is probable that, before matters go too far, Whitehall will find it necessary to reiterate to Berlin her determination to fight if France becomes involved on Czechoslovakia's behalf. It is by no means clear that this would save the day, if Der Fuehrer has already decided upon war, for the great danger now is that he has committed himself so deeply that he cannot retreat from his present position without very considerable loss of domestic prestige. There is the real danger. It has now been made quite clear that the limits of British and French patience have been strained to such an extent that the breaking point is very near: it is so near that Germany has but to cross the Czechoslovakian borders, to intervene in what should be a matter of Czechoslovakia's own business, for France to go to that country's aid. Great Britain has definitely stated she will stand by France, and, if there is still any doubt about it in Europe, the sooner another emphatic representation is made to Berlin the better for the peace of the world. M. Litvinov professes to be confident that there will be no war. It is to be hoped that he is right, for it must be confessed that the outlook at the moment is black.

In China there have been no unexpected developments. The Japanese advance towards Hankow has been developing, and the first line of the Chinese defence of the city does not appear to have been so strong as it was at first claimed. The movement which the Japanese have commenced is undoubtedly the most imposing one of the campaign. It embraces three important features, which consist of endeavours to cut the Peiping-Hankow line at Sinyang around the northern edge of the mountainous salient which at present protects Hankow, to advance on the river port along the banks of the Yangtze, which is now made possible by the reduction of Kwangtsi, while the third consists of an advance down the Kiukiang-Nanchang Railway whence the Japanese may be expected to turn westwards and seek to cut the Canton-Hankow Railway. A successful termination of the last named movement would be almost as useful as the fall of Hankow, for, cut off from communication with the south and the sea, except by very circuitous routes, the city would have lost all importance, and not worth the expense of defending. There is a suggestion, arising out of the arrival of reinforcements in Tientsin that the Japanese contemplate an endeavour to bring the Chinese to a decisive battle around Hankow. In view of everything which has happened in the past this is not likely to prove successful, for if the Chinese are as adroit before Hankow as they were at Shanghai and Hsuchowfu they should be able to withdraw their forces long before they are in any danger of being pinned to their present positions. The undertaking would be on a larger scale than before, it is admitted, but, with two successful dress rehearsals, there is every reason to suppose they will be able to do it better than they have done before.

For Home Consumption

The most serious development in the European situation during the week end was the remarkable outburst of Field Marshal Goering who adumbrated the possibility of a world war and the certainty that if such did eventuate Germany would win, and not lose. It is the first time a European statesman has mentioned such a thing, and the repercussions are likely to be important. It is necessary, however, to remember the conditions in which the speech was made, and the fact that, after all, the last word will be in the mouth of Herr Hitler today. Field Marshal Goering was obviously speaking more for home consumption, than for abroad, though he appears to have been perfectly reckless as to the effect of his remark outside the borders of Germany. There are ample indications that there is a large body of German people, both inside and outside the Reich, who regard the possibility of war with the greatest dismay. There are German militarists who are by no means sure that Germany is in a position to wage another war successfully at this present juncture. Thus to quote a military essay by Col. Conrad, Chief of Staff of the 18th Army Corps in Salzberg, himself a Reich German, wrote, concerning the necessity of a quick and successful descent into Czechoslovakia:—

> The line of thought, decisive in itself, takes on finality from the fact that Germany cannot carry out a long war, and the dearth of material, etc., demands the quickest possible ending of a campaign.

That contrasts with assurances given by some of the German leaders favouring a gamble in Czechoslovakia, it is true, but from all that has happened in recent years, it is extremely doubtful whether Germany has accumulated the immense food reserves which will be necessary to maintain the people during a war of any great length. On the general showing it is yet too early to prove the success of the policy of autarchy, for should it fail great will be the failure thereof.

Quick Remedy Wanted

Considerable sympathy will be felt for those correspondents to this journal, who have written in complaining of the ordure carts being allowed to pass along Rue du Consulat sufficiently late in the mornings to inconvenience people going to office, and it is to be hoped that the French Municipal Council will see its way clear to doing something in the matter. It is fully realized that the enormous responsibilities which have been thrown on the two municipalities during the past fourteen months have created all manner of unforeseen difficulties. New conditions have thrown an unusual strain upon the services of both areas, and the remarkable feature of it all is the way in which the many, and unusual demands have been met. On the other hand there is a section of the public which believes that by now the two municipal services have had plenty of time in which to adjust themselves to the new conditions, and that the convenience of the residents should be more considered than they were during the height of the emergency. It has to be admitted that, on both sides of Avenue Edward VII, when abuses have been brought to the attention of the authorities, some action has been obtained, as witness the ready response to certain letters appearing in this journal concerning the condition of the Siccawei Creek. Steps are now being considered for bringing about an improvement in that area, and in making that decision the French authorities are warmly to be congratulated. The question of the ordure carts seems to be relatively a more simple matter, not only from the point of view of the appropriate remedy, but also the cost of its application. A re-routing of their passage to the French Bund, or the arrangement of an earlier time-table seems to be all that is necessary, and neither of these should involve any very great expense. A quick remedying of this grievance, and it is not a small one to those who have daily to encounter it, would be very greatly appreciated by those who have to suffer from it.

NATURE NOTES

Late in August I pointed out in these notes that, although summer was not yet over, bird migration had commenced. Now that autumn is well advanced his wonderful natural phenomenon is in full swing. It will continue for at least two months, the movements of birds from north to south increasing in volume till it reaches its peak about the middle of October, when the full rush of the mighty hordes of waders and wild-fowl will be upon us, and the night air will be full of their cries or the whistling of their wings as they pass overhead. But already, if one stands out in the open on any fine night, one may hear the cries of the advance guard of this great army —plovers, sandpipers, whimbrels and curlews—calling to each other as they wing their way through the moonlight. In my note of August 24 I referred to the tremendous distances travelled by some of these migrants in their journeys between their winter quarters in the south and their breeding grounds. Such journeys are truly astonishing. Some of the waders, for instance, that pass through our area at this season do not stop their travels till they reach Australia. One of the most interesting cases of long distance travel is that of the little Amur red-footed falcon. This species breeds regularly in North China and Manchuria as far north as the valley of the mighty Amur River. It winters in South Africa. It makes the tremendous journey between these two regions of about 10,000 miles twice every year. The Pacific golden plover is another of our birds of passage that covers an enormous distance every year. Breeding in North-eastern Siberia and Alaska, it travels in the autumn down the eastern coast of Asia, on through the eastern islands of the Malayan Archipelago well into the Southern Hemisphere, and so out into the Southern Pacific, where it winters on some of the islands far to the east of Australia. The longest known non-stop flight in the bird world is made by certain members of this or a closely related species, which migrate in a single flight from Western Alaska to the Hawaiian Islands, a distance of well over 2,000 miles. The greatest distance known to be covered by any bird on migration is the twice-yearly journey of the Arctic tern, which literally flies from Pole to Pole, spending what we call summer in North Polar regions and winter in the Antarctic. The vicissitudes faced by birds on migration are many and great. It is a common thing for land birds to follow coastlines, cutting across bays and gulfs, and resting from time to time on headlands, promontories or even on islands during their journeys. Often, however, storms, beating off shore, carry them out of their courses far to seaward, where they perish in tens or hundreds of thousands as exhaustion overtakes them. Yet with undaunted courage they face these dangers season by season. Never shall I forget, while travelling one autumn in a typhoon from Tsingtao to Shanghai, observing the numerous swallows migrating southward. The brave little birds were following the same course as my steamer, flying steadily into the teeth of the gale, keeping so low that they had to rise to avoid each oncoming wave. All day long they could be seen overhauling the steamer and passing it. I could not help admiring their pluck, at the same time wondering why they did not seek the shelter of land, but a comparatively short distance to their westward. Even when night fell they did not appear to be doing this, for, as long as I could see in the gathering gloom, I could make out their little forms flying steadily southward. Next morning it was the same: obviously they had been flying all night.

—A. DE C. S.

IN PARENTHESIS

Hand Work

"Now Thomson," said the teacher, "what do you consider was the greatest accomplishment of the Romans?"

"Learning Latin, sir," returned the bright lad.

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Retaliation

IT was late when the hostess at the reception requested the famous bass to sing.

"It is too late madame," he protested. "I should disturb your neighbours."

"Not at all," declared the hostess, beaming. "Besides, they poisoned our dog last week."

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Necessary Question

EXAMINER: "If a man can do one-fourth of a piece of work in three days, how long will it take him to finish it?"

Student: "Is it a Government contract job, or is the man working for himself?"

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No Fear

"WOULD you still love me if I had only one eye?" asked Jack.

"Good gracious, no—what a question?" replied his fiancee.

"I'll hold the umbrella then."

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Outlook Unsettled

SAID the young man in hospital to a pretty nurse: "Nurse, I am in love with you. I do not want to leave; I do not want to get well."

Nurse: "Don't worry. You won't. The doctor is also in love with me and he caught you kissing me this morning."

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Strange Time

IN a little American backwoods town is a clock with no machinery except a face, hands and a lever. The lever is connected with a geyser which shoots out an immense column of hot water every 38 seconds, each spout moving the hands forward 38 seconds. Since the spouting never varies the tenth of a second, the clock keeps perfect time.

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Jewish Mac

A JEW in business changed his name to Macpherson, and flourished exceedingly.

Some time later he made another application, this time to change it to M'Donald.

The official was puzzled, and asked the reason.

"Well," replied the applicant, "I am doing very well, but many people ask what my name was before it was changed. If I alter it to M'Donald, I will be able to reply that it was Macpherson."

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It Pays to Advertise

Once there was a business man,
And he was wondrous wise; Said he:
"We'll save the money it takes to advertise,
We've got the business going,
We'll sit and take the kale.
Why squander cash for printing?
Our income cannot fail."
Things prospered for a season,
And prospects rosy grew;
Then sales began to dwindle;
The why?—Nobody knew.
The boss was fretful, worried,
His face grew pale and drawn,
The business "kept on going"
—Going—now it's gone.—

"Advances"

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Interest

To Jone's bank I used to go
Each Friday when I'd drawn my pay,
And there deposit what I'd earned,
To guard against a rainy day.
Up to the window I would march,
Present my pass book and my dough,
And then you should have seen the looks
And questions I must undergo.

Each time it was the same, I found,
With ne'er a smile or pleasant look.
They'd grab the money—count it—write,
Then slam me back my little book.
The president I never saw,
Except perhaps a fleeting glimpse,
I'd catch of him—a solemn man—
Conferring with some merchant prince.

And so I drew my money out
Of Jones's bank—to Smith's I went
To see if I could there receive
Some interest other than per cent.
I entered, and a cheerful man.
The president, reached for my hand.
"We're glad to see you, come right in,
Just take a chair, no need to stand."

And then, before I seemed to think
I told him of the wife and boy—
About the home we hoped to build—
And say! he seemed to share my joy.
He gave me good advice and said:
"I want to help you all I can,
Drop in again, I'm always here—
I like to help a young man plan."

That's really all there is to say
But somehow it seems lots to me.
For Smith's bank is so homey-like
While Jones's—they could never see
That though I banked my money there
I really coudn't feel content,
Because I found they didn't know
An interest other than per cent.

THE WEATHER

Temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai 24 hours ending 7 p.m.:—

Yesterday	Min. 64.0	Max. 85.0
Same dame, 1937	Min. 68.0	Max. 86.0

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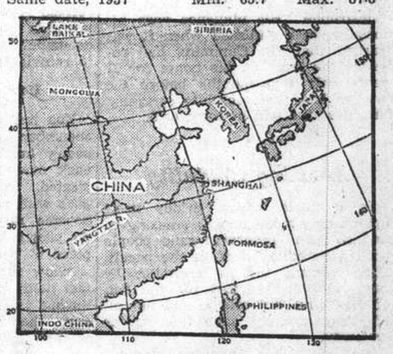
Temperature at Siccawei:—

Yesterday	Min. 58.8	Max. 86.7
Same date, 1937	Min. 65.7	Max. 87.6



Siccawei's Report

State on the morning of the 10th:—Anticyclone over China. The typhoon, to the north of the Bonins is continuing north-eastward. A deep depression is crossing the Sea of Japan east-north-eastward. Westerly to northerly winds to the north of the Yangtze and over the Eastern Sea; variable in the south. Fine weather around Shantung and Formosa; overcast getting fine over our regions and over the Eastern Sea.

State on the morning of the 11th:—Anticyclone over China. Depression over northern Japan.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Fine weather with variable breezes around Shantung. Overcast to cloudy threatening rain and light, variable breezes over our regions: with north-easterly winds over the Eastern Sea and Formosa.—Siccawei Observatory.

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A MEETING of Ministers was held at noon today at No. 10 Downing Street. Present at the meeting were Mr. Neville Chamberlain, Premier, Lord Halifax, Foreign Secretary, Sir Samuel Hoare, Home Secretary, Sir John Simon, Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Robert Vansittart, Permanent Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and Sir Alexander Cadogan, Deputy Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

The meeting broke up at 3 p.m., when Sir Samuel Hoare left, but activity at Downing Street continued. Sir John Simon and Lord Halifax remained behind with the Premier at No. 10. Mr. Anthony Eden, former Foreign Secretary, and Mr. Joseph Kennedy, American Ambassador, called at the Foreign Office, to which Sir Robert Vansittart and Sir Alexander Cadogan had returned earlier.

A report from Sir Nevile Henderson, British Ambassador to Germany, on his conversations with Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop, German Foreign Minister, on the Czech crisis formed one of the central topics of discussion at a special meeting of Ministers at Downing Street yesterday afternoon.

Among those present at the conference, which lasted two hours, were Mr. Chamberlain; Lord Halifax, Sir John Simon, Sir Samuel Hoare, and Sir Alexander Cadogan. Both the Prime Minister and the Foreign Secretary are remaining in London over the week-end.

As the result of an authoritative statement, removing all doubts as to how far the British attitude might be known in the highest quarters in Germany, no further British demarche in Berlin is likely before Monday's Cabinet meeting, Reuter's Diplomatic Correspondent learns.

According to authoritative circles, during his stay in Nuremberg Sir Nevile Henderson has had valuable opportunities of meeting the principal German leaders.

He has not either had or sought any interview with Herr Hitler other than a courtesy meeting during a diplomatic reception, but this is not supposed to have been the occasion of anything more than a general conversation.

There is every reason to feel assured, however, that the British Government's views have been fully conveyed to the proper quarter.—Reuter.

French Cabinet Meets Today

Paris, Sept. 11.

In view of the tense European situation, a meeting of the French Cabinet has been called for Monday afternoon, while the Council of Ministers, under the Presidency of M. Lebrun, will meet on Tuesday morning.

It is reported here that arrangements have been made for consultations between French and British military experts, as agreed upon in March 1936. There is, however, no confirmation of this report in London.

M. Georges Bonnet, the French Foreign Minister, left for Geneva last night. He expects to return here on Monday.—Reuter.

Europe Awaiting Developments

Prague, Sept. 11.

All Europe is anxiously awaiting developments in Prague, as it is generally felt that the next 48 hours will decide whether the negotiations between the Czech Government and the Sudeten Germans are to proceed in peace, or whether Germany will take the question into her own hands and try to impose an arbitrary settlement on Czechoslovakia. In the latter event it would mean war.

It is pointed out that Germany cannot use the pretext that the proposals of the Czech Government are inadequate. They have been accepted by the Sudeten leaders as a basis for negotiations, and they fulfil, in principle, the eight points outlined by Herr Konrad Henlein, the Sudeten leader, in his speech at Karlsbad.

The possibility of some serious incident between Sudeten Germans and Czechs cannot be overlooked.

Ever since the Sudeten leaders withdrew the orders to their followers not to offend by provocative acts, a complete change is said to have overcome the Sudetens, who are alleged to be almost going out of their way nowadays to be offensive and provocative. Every day incidents occur on a bigger scale and in an over-widening field.

The latest, according to unconfirmed reports from a German source, occurred yesterday at Karlsbad, where following a dispute with a Sudeten German Social Democratic, a Henleinist (Nazi) was arrested. A crowd, estimated at about 12,000, is alleged to have demonstrated before the prison. The German report adds that the police used firearms, and that two people were wounded.

Although the Germans have not made any big concentrations of troops in the immediate neighbourhood of the Czech frontier, their manœuvres have resulted in a certain amount of military activity, especially on the north-east Moravian frontier.

The Czech general staff has kept its own counsel regarding what precautions it has deemed advisable. Meanwhile, there is no sign of alarm, much less panic in Prague.—Reuter.

Calming Effect in Germany

Berlin, Sept. 11.

The announcement of a resumption of negotiations between the Czech authorities and the Sudeten Germans has undoubtedly produced a calming effect here. Press attacks on the Prague Government have toned down perceptibly.

On the other hand, there is a tendency to belittle the importance of the Czech proposals, which are contended to include no effective guarantees for their execution.

In addressing the Nazi Party rally at Nuremberg last evening, Dr. Joseph Goebbels, Minister of Propaganda, referred to the "Red menace in Czechoslovakia."

Bolshevism in that country, he said, might lead to a dangerous development. He added that Prague was now the centre of the Comintern for Europe.

Practically the whole of Germany's western frontier, from Aix-la-Chapelle to the Swiss border, has been closed to air traffic from September 20 as the result of a decree, which states that only certain specified lanes have been left open for commercial aircraft.

Elsewhere, the frontier will be guarded by police planes, and intruders will be fired on in case they fail to obey orders to land.—Reuter.

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French Analyse British Stand

Greatest Vigilance Shown in Cause of Peace ; To-day's Speech Awaited

Paris, Sept. 10.

The French press today strongly urged France to be prepared to fight even without British aid. Comment reached an unequalled pitch of war alarm, reflecting shock at the underlying tone of Field Marshal Goering's speech.

In most papers, however, there was a marked difference in tone compared to yesterday's evident irritation and disappointment over England's failure to express specifically her adherence to the Paris-London axis.

"Le Temps" said whether or not negotiations between the Czechs and Sudetens would terminate amicably "depends more, and solely perhaps, on measures taken by the Reich Government and the final position Herr Hitler takes when he decides on the chances and risks."

"Great Britain," said the Paris daily, "continues to give proof of the greatest vigilance in the use of its best efforts to dissipate in Berlin all doubt which might exist concerning its wish to defend the peace of Europe in co-operation with France."

Avoiding the Worst

The moderately conservative "Intransigeant" places the outcome of peace or war on what Herr Hitler will announce on Monday. "We're nearing the end of our incertitude," the paper predicted. "If Germany sees us united and resolved, she will hesitate before the terrible adventure into which she can throw Europe.

The "Paris Soir" said "England's activity is in employing herself to avoid the worst."

"England," said the "Journal Des Debats," "is continuing her useful work for peace. She is doing it with a tenacity that is remarkable for its prudence and discretion."

In an article in the "Populaire" by Paul Faure, entitled "Towards an End of Peace," the writer said that it was sure that the people would not renounce their legitimate right to ask the Government in the hour of need to make still another effort to save peace.

France Will Honour Signature

Maurice Thorez, writing in Humanite, follows the same tone. "If Hitler," he said, "is certain that his attacks against Czechoslovakia will result in grave consequences for him, peace will be saved....Therefore France should, in the cause of peace, not leave the slightest illusion in the minds of the fomenters of war. Berlin must be told that France will honour her signature, thus creating a situation in which England, the Soviet Union and the United States shall rally at her side to assure the integrity of Czechoslovakia."—United Press.

British Press Pessimistic

London, Sept. 11.

The "Sunday Times" writes that over since the beginning of the crisis the British Government had continued to utter its warnings and that the British nation took the matter very seriously. Should Germany challenge Europe by attacking Czechoslovakia the necessary consequences would be drawn from the repeated warnings of the Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain which had been emphasised by Sir John Simon in his speech at Lanark.

In the "Observer" Mr. J. L. Garvin similarly warns against any attempt by Germany to seek a solution of the Czech problem by means of violence, Mr. Garvin writes that should Hitler seek to imitate the example of Louis XIV or Napoleon he would be faced by an indescribably overwhelming force. The writer goes on to say that Hitler professed to be an admirer of Frederic the Great who, however, after the conquest of Silesia was content to harvest the fruits of his victory and reaped far more from the maintenance of peace than he could ever have done from a new war. Mr. Garvin concludes by saying that he is convinced that Hitler does not aspire to emerge as a "destroyer" from this decisive phase of his career and will not tread a path which will lead to war.—Trans-Ocean.

British Fleet Moves Ensure Defence

London, Sept. 10.

Considerable British naval preparations with a view to the defence of the mother country are represented in the massing of the Home Fleet in Scottish waters for the usual Autumn manœuvres announced recently, in the presence of high-tonnage vessels in several ports where they are being overhauled and in the placing on active service of 11 mine-sweepers.

Most of the Home Fleet vessels are concentrated at Invergordon. The Fourth Flotilla of destroyers is now at Portland but it and the cruiser, H.M.S. Royal Oak, will shortly join the rest of the fleet, which will steam to Scapa Flow for mass manœuvres.

On the other hand, it is noted that the Mediterranean Fleet has left Malta and is en route to the site of the usual end-of-year naval exercises in the Eastern Mediterranean.—Havas.

Pres. Benes Urges Calm in Czech Crisis

9-Point Plan Sudeten Solution Commended

Prague, Sept. 11.

An appeal for calm and dispassionate judgment in the present international crisis was broadcast yesterday by Dr. Edouard Benes, President of Czechoslovakia, who described the international difficulties of today as the most serious since the war.

"We want to contribute," he said, "to a settlement of European problems generally, and to establish good relations with all our neighbours, especially Greater Germany.

"We want to prove to Europe and America and, above all, to England and France, that we understand the duties imposed upon us by general collaboration, and we shall fulfil these as far as the needs of the state allow us."

As President of the Czech Republic, Dr. Benes recommended the Government's nine-point proposals to the population as a solution of the present impasse between the Government and the Sudetens, although, he added, these entailed heavy sacrifices.

"We must re-establish," he asserted, "full confidence and co-operation between the two great nationalities of the Czech Republic, and thus ensure internal calm, peace and peaceful development."

New Proposals Beneficial

The President expressed a belief that the new proposals would be beneficial to the state and its future, and also that by renewing co-operation between all nationalities, even in the presend period of difficulties, nothing could threaten their unity and integrity.

"For 20 years," Dr. Benes continued, "the Republic has developed quietly and progressively. Political democracy and freedom, economic prosperity, religious tolerance and social justice have been achieved without crisis, upheavals or revolutions.

"That which in other countries caused dangerous upheavals was in our country reasonably, dispassionately and practically resolved."

In a spirit of true and sincere democracy, he added, "we have begun negotiations with the different nationalities of our Republic. We have begun with the Sudetens as the most important group, but the proposals apply to all citizens of the State."—Reuter.

For Home Consumption

Berlin, Sept. 11.

The speech of Dr. Benes is described in political circles here as primarily intended for home consumption and having little bearing on the issue under consideration.

A spokesman declared that the "speech does not alter the situation." Dr. Benes, he added, obviously desired to give his people an account of the negotiations under way, to exercise a calming influence on them and to prepare them for what may develop.—Reuter.

Chinese Textbooks to Be Revised

All Anti-Japanese Matter To Be Deleted

Peiping, Sept. 11.

According to the Tientsin "Yung Pao," the commission for the compilation and examination of Chinese text books in primary and middle schools has completed the compilation of 155 text books covering all subjects taught in Chinese middle and primary schools.

The paper says that in undertaking this task the editors of the commission have been guided by the following principles:

1. To eliminate all anti-Japanese material and replace it with matter dwelling on friendship between China, Japan and Manchoukuo.
2. To make a clean sweep of all Kuomintang education.
3. To revive the old morality of China and the teachings of ancient scholars, and
4. To encourage the study of science.

Dr. Tang Erh-ho, Minister of Education, is chairman of the commission, but the editor-in-chief of the commission is a Japanese specially detailed for such work by the Ministry of Education in Tokyo.—Reuter.

Lawlessness Versus Fairplay

Mr. Cordell Hull Says No Nation Can Avoid Issue

Washington, Sept. 11.

Lawlessness versus fair play is the issue confronting the whole world, declares Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, in a letter today accepting an invitation to the United States to attend the eighth Pan-American Conference.

"No nation and no government," he says, "can avoid the issue. Neither can any nation avoid participation, willing or not, in the responsibility of determining which course of action shall prevail."—Reuter.

New Witness Called In Hines Case

New York, Sept. 11.

Evidence was given yesterday in the trial of Mr. James J. Hines, former Tammany leader, to counter the State's charges that he had "influenced, intimidated or bribed" the former District Attorney, Mr. Dodge.

Mr. Harold Stryker, counsel for the defence, called Mr. Lyon, a Boston and New York lawyer and former assistant to Mr. Dodge, who said that Mr. Dodge in 1934 ordered him to investigate reports that Mr. Hines was concerned with the policy racket and, if the reports were true, to indict him. Mr. Dodge, according to Mr. Lyon, gave him full power.

Mr. Stryker demanded the judge to rule that there had been a mistrial. Judge Pecora, however, reserved his decision, and adjourned the case until Monday.—Reuter.

Principal Figures in Europe's Political Crisis

Developing from crisis to crisis, the Czechoslovakian situation is expected to reach a point of finality today when Chancellor Hitler makes his tensely-awaited speech at the Nazi Congress at Nuremberg. Above, Chancellor Hitler is seen at last year's congress. Below, left to right: Field Marshal Hermann Goering, whose speech on Saturday warned Europe: Sir Nevile Henderson, British Ambassador to Berlin, deliverer of Britain's demarche to the German Government: Dr. Edouard Benes, President of Czechoslovakia, who made a last-minute appeal for a peaceful solution of the problem involving his country.

Hitler Addresses Storm Troopers

140,000 Men on Parade at Nuremberg: Will Fight to Defend Their Power

Nuremberg, Sept. 11.

Reference to Czechoslovakia was made by Herr Adolf Hitler today at a mass parade of Storm Troopers.

"I see before me Germany happy in unity," the Fuehrer declared, "there are other Germans to whom this happiness is still denied. "Our hearts fly out to them as we know their hearts are with us."

Herr Hitler also stated that National Socialism had gained its power by fighting, and was determined to defend that power under all circumstances.—Reuter.

140,000 On Parade

Nuremberg, Sept. 11.

One hundred and forty thousand Nazi Storm-Troopers, including mechanised units, paraded before the Fuehrer at Adolf Hitler Platz this morning.

Other high officials who witnessed the parade were field-Marshal Hermann Goering, the Air Minister, Herr Heinrich Himmler, Chief of the Gestapo, German Secret Police, Herr Victor Lutze, leader of the Storm-Troopers, General Huhnlein, chief of the mechanised units, and General Christiansen, head of the air forces.

Herr Hitler witnessed the parade standing in his car and surrounded by his staff. Herr Konrad Henlein, German Sudeten Leader, and his delegation also were present at the proceedings. A cordon of young Austrians, dressed in their national costume, was formed.

Bugle calls announced the arrival of the Fuehrer at 10 a.m. while shouts of "Heil Germany" greeted Field Marshal Goering, who is being considered more and more as the Fuehrer's most likely successor.

The troops were massed in the immense arena, and gave the impression of being one whole unit in which the individual disappeared, directed by loud speakers and by the rhythm of an enormous orchestra. A mere sign resulted in all the flags being lifted up, and it seemed that a huge forest of flags was marching. The only visible things were the flags, fanions, helmets, and caps, while the Fuehrer, on a platform, stood out behind the fanion of command.

Given Tumultuous Welcome

Thunderous cheers greeted the Fuehrer as crowds packed the streets through which he passed on his seven kilometre trip from the Luitpold Hall to Nuremberg Castle. Herr Hitler replied by extending his arm in the form of giving a blessing. The Fuehrer received press representatives in the Castle while the large crowd kept up its deafening cheers outside.

On the balcony of the Castle which overlooks a splendid panorama, the Fuehrer expressed happiness at the favourable weather during the Congress, "although it is not favourable for our potatoes."

He spoke of the plans to make Nuremberg more beautiful by eliminating certain sections of the old city and creating a new and modern town beside, which will be reserved more specially to the Annual Nazi Congresses.

He added smilingly that he would have remained there incognito but feared that the world would have suspected him of having dubious designs.—Havas.

Exchange of Prisoners

Toulouse, Sept. 11.

The British commission entrusted with supervising the exchange of prisoners from both Spanish factions left for Hendaye today. The Commission is headed by Field Marshal Sir Philip Chetwode.—Havas.

Quake Stops Clocks

Tokyo, Sept. 11.

A midget earthquake skittered playfully across western Japan yesterday afternoon, stopping clocks and rattling dishes. No damage was done by the feeble terrestrial tremors, which were scarcely strong enough to be rated a full-fledged temblor. The quivers were strongest in Ehime Prefecture and Shikoku at 2.40 o'clock, the Central Meteorological Observatory announced last night.—Domei.

Japan's Alleged Use Of Gas

British Government Urged To Prevent Repetition

London, Sept. 11.

Lord Listowel, President of the China Campaign Committee, affiliated to the International Peace Campaign, has written to the Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax, requesting strongest possible action by the British Government in Geneva to protest against the use of poison gas by the Japanese troops operating in China, and to urge whatever steps may be necessary to prevent a repetition of this method of warfare which is "a gross violation of international law and an outrage upon the feelings of the civilized world."

The letter enumerates various cases where the Japanese have allegedly made use of poison gas.—Havas.

Ebro Battle is Still Undecided

Spanish Nationalists Say 70,000 Enemy Losses

Saragossa, Sept. 11.

After nearly seven weeks of savage fighting, the Ebro battle is still undecided. A Nationalist offensive is at present in full swing, and the Republicans are gradually retiring from position to position.

The Nationalists claim that the Republicans now possess less than one-fifth of the territory they originally won on the right bank of the Ebro. Republican losses from deaths, wounds, capture and desertion are computed at 70,000.—Reuter.

Princess Juliana Down with 'Flu

Unable to Attend Pageant Honouring Mother's 40th Anniversary

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Amsterdam, Sept. 11.

Because of an attack of influenza, Princess Juliana did not accompany her mother, Queen Wilhelmina, when Her Majesty visited the Olympic Stadium yesterday afternoon to witness a wonderful pageant staged in honour of the 40th anniversary of her reign.

On the advice of her doctors, Princess Juliana will be confined to her room for some days.

Two wives of a native ruler in the Netherlands East Indies knelt and presented flowers to the Queen and Prince Bernhard on their arrival at the Stadium, while a crowd of 50,000, assembled to continue the anniversary celebrations, cheered lustily.

The programme included choral singing by a mixed choir of 1,200 voices and a ballet homage to the Queen performed by 200 dancers.

Deputations from 11 provinces in the Netherlands laid the products of their provinces at the Queen's feet. The Netherlands East and West Indies were also represented.—Reuter.

National Defence Education

Japanese Institute Will Expand Activities

Tokyo, Sept. 11.

An elaborate plan for national defence education worked out by the National Institute for Study of Spiritual Culture was disclosed today.

For the purpose of guiding and stimulating the "defence thought" of the nation the national defence section of the institute, which was created last November, will be divided into four groups for unified planning, education, inspection and guidance and foreign publicity.

With about 850 persons who will receive training at the institute as a central organization, "thought pillars" of the nation will be established in villages and factories. Each will select two suitable persons, totalling about 200,000 throughout the country, who will act as "pillars."—Domei.

U.S. Masses Troops on Mexican Border But Only for Manoeuvres

30,000 Men Engaged in Routine Movements Along The Frontier ; Not a Threat of War

Washington, Sept. 10.

Thirty thousand American troops have been massed on the Mexican border as the Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, indicated today that a new and firmer note would be sent to the Mexican Government on the controversy over settlement of expropriated United States lands.

The armed forces went through military manœuvres while precautionary measures were taken on other fronts. A large portion of the United States Navy was en route to the Atlantic ocean for war games preparatory for spring manœuvres in which almost the entire fleet will engage. Inspection of coastal defences was understood to be under way.

American officials were said to be fully conscious of the huge armies mobilized in Europe although they completely dwarf the ones now in the field in the United States. Like some of the European troop concentrations in strategic areas, the military moves along the Mexican border are routine manœuvres and war games, the officials pointed out.

The officials emphasized that the American troop movements, unlike the European concentrations, are not a threat of war and they have aroused neither panic nor hysterical patriotism on either side of the south-west frontier.

The American Third Army has just completed manœuvres through the south central areas of the United States. In the course of them, troops from the Eighth Corps Area assembled at strategic points near the border. More than 26,000 officers and men were mobilized at Camp Bullis near San Antonio, Texas, another 4,289 officers and men were assembled at Fort Bills near El Paso, Texas, and approximately 2,500 at Fort Huachuca, Arizona.—United Press.

Hankow's Danger from North

Japanese Driving on City From Three Directions: Chinese Believe They Can Hold South

Hankow, Sept. 11.

WITH the Japanese drive towards Hankow thrusting forward from three directions, the north, the south and the east, Chinese observers here are of the opinion that the decisive battle for Hankow will take place on the north bank of the Yangtze. These observers believe that the Chinese positions on the south bank west of Juichang will withstand assaults by the Japanese forces for a long period, since there, they declare, the Japanese must fight their way inch by inch through hilly terrain.

The other method of approach to Hankow, straight up the Yangtze, is also being rendered extremely difficult, these observers declare. They claim that the strong Chinese fortifications at Wuhsueh, a short distance above Kiukiang, and Matoucheng, have halted the advance of the Japanese warships attempting to force their way up to Hankow.

On the north bank, from which the greatest threat to Hankow is now considered to come, Chinese reports state that the Japanese are making little progress in the Kwangtsi area. The Chinese forces in the Tapei Mountains, north of the Huangmei to Kwangtsi highway, are said to be exerting constant pressure on the Japanese flanks.

Strong Chinese Defences

Information from Chinese sources received here today from Shanchen, about 30 miles south-west of Kushih, indicates that the Japanese at Kushih are turning southwards in the direction of Shanchen. Chinese observers consider that this new move has as its object a drive south-westwards along the highway passing through Shanchen and Machen towards Hankow. Kushih, Shanchen, Macheng and Hankow are in a straight line running north-east to south-west, Machen being about 50 miles from Hankow. Hindering a drive along this route, Chinese circles declare, would be the strong Chinese defences in the hills between Shanchen and Machen.

Turning to the south bank of the Yangtze, Chinese reports state that the fate of Sikuling and Wushihmen, on the road to Nanchang, hangs in the balance as fighting is still proceeding around those two points. There are two important highways leading to Tehan, immediate objective of the Japanese. One of these runs from Singtze to Tehan via Sikuling, passing through narrow "corridors" at Wushihmen and Sikuling, with towering mountains on either side. Here, the Chinese are said to have erected strong defences, with barbed-wire, tank traps, machine-gun nests and artillery units effectively placed and well hidden.

It is generally believed here that the Japanese will direct their main drive to Tehan towards Sikuling, in order to reach Tehan without facing the Chinese defences at Wushihmen. These defences, Chinese circles claim, are almost impregnable.

Severe Fighting Near Mahweiling

Severe fighting is continuing east of Mahweiling, Chinese reports state, where the Japanese are said to be making a determined attempt to break through the Chinese right wing, in order to threaten the Chinese flank north of Tehan. Heralding today's Japanese offensive, warships in the Poyang Lake are reported to have fired over 2,000 shells yesterday, bombarding Chinese positions in the vicinity of Sikuling. Following this barrage from Japanese naval guns, the Japanese forces launched an attack on the Chinese positions at Sikuling this morning, it is stated, and these changed hands no less than three times.

Each time Sikuling fell into Japanese hands, it is reported, the Chinese launched a counter-attack, and recaptured it once again. A Chinese military communique, issued this afternoon, declared that Sikuling was still in the hands of the Chinese.

No change is reported in the situation along the Kiukiang-Nanchang Railway north of Tehan, where the Chinese are said to be holding the Japanese at Wushihmen. Fighting was also reported today west of Juichang, where the Japanese are stated to have attacked the Chinese positions at Tienluishan (Angel's Hill), but to have been repulsed.—Reuter.

Japanese Closing on Kwangchow

In two converging columns, Japanese troops yesterday were closing in upon Kwangchow, westernmost extremity of the Chinese defence triangle in south-eastern Honan intended to block the way of a Japanese thrust at the Peiping-Hankow Railway, Domei dispatches from correspondents at the front stated.

From the north of the strongly fortified city, a Japanese column that proceeded 400 kilometres up the swollen Hwai River from Pengpu in 10 days, was marching down upon Kwangchow after defeating, on Saturday night, a Chinese force equipped with three field guns. In a brief artillery duel, one Chinese gun was silenced as a Japanese shell scored a direct hit on an ammunition caisson near by.

From the east, another Japanese column advancing from Kushih was reported to be crushing Chinese opposition on its westward advance to Kwangchow. Japanese troops on Friday evening put to rout Chinese defending Hutsupu, 20 kilometres west of Kushih. In retreating the Chinese abandoned 150 dead.

Meanwhile, another Japanese column which suddenly appeared at several points on a line connecting Fukou and Chowchiakow, 70 kilometres east of the vital Peiping-Hankow Railway, on Friday, was preparing to cross the 20-kilometrewide new bed of the Yellow River for a thrust at the railway between Suchang and Yencheng. Naval aircraft severely bombed these two towns on Saturday. The cutting of this railway at this point would isolate the Chinese forces under Gen. Wan Fu-lin defending the important Chengchow junction of the Lunghai and Peiping-Hankow Railways and, simultaneously, sever connections between Hankow and the Chinese troops deployed on the south bank of the Yellow River between Chengchow and Tungkwan, it was pointed out. The sudden appearance of this Japanese column, the dispatches said, have thrown into confusion the Chinese 39th, 91st and 36th Chinese divisions deployed along the southern section of the Peiping-Hankow Railway.

The week-old battle west of Yehkiatsi, which developed into one of the most sanguinary encounters in the present hostilities, was nearing its end, field reports reaching Japanese headquarters were said to indicate.

Resignation of Mr. McNutt Asked

Commissioner Unlikely to Return to Manila; Future Hangs on Conference

Washington, Sept. 10.

The Washington "Star" in a copyright article today revealed that President Roosevelt has requested the resignation of Mr. Paul V. McNutt, High Commissioner to the Philippines, after a heated exchange of correspondence.

Administration officials would not comment on the "Star" article but one said that "Mr. McNutt will not return to the Philippines as Commissioner after he reports here in October."

Quarters connected with insular affairs said that latest information indicated that Mr. McNutt's future would await a conference on the subject. It was believed, however, that any differences between the Commissioner and President Roosevelt are not primarily based on Philippine policy.

Administration circles admitted that Mr. McNutt and Mr. James Farley, Postmaster-General, have sometimes disagreed and are far from close friends. It was recalled that Mr. Farley's close friends have related that the democratic party chairman privately accused Mr. McNutt with aiding to halt the "Roosevelt for President" drive at the Chicago convention in 1932.

There was some speculation whether there was an attempt to remove Mr. McNutt from the field of possible presidential candidates in 1940, a post for which he has been boosted in several quarters, especially among Indiana Democrats.

Observers of the Philippine situation did not believe that Mr. McNutt's dealings with President Manuel Quezon or Nazis in Manila involved any disagreement because the High Commissioner was believed to have relied on State Department instructions.—United Press.

Mr. McNutt Says It Is "Absurd"

Manila, Sept. 11.

Mr. Paul V. McNutt, High Commissioner to the Philippines, told the United Press today that the Washington "Star" story that President Roosevelt had requested his resignation was "too absurd to warrant comment."—United Press.

Raiders Concentrate On Railways

Heavy Bombing in Central And South China

Attacks on Chinese railways in Central and South China featured the activities of the Japanese naval air force Saturday, a communique issued at noon yesterday by the command of the Japanese China Seas Fleet revealed.

Raids were carried out against Hsuchang and Yencheng stations on the Peiping-Hankow railway, between Chengchow and Sinyang. This portion of the railway is now being manaced by the rapid advance of a Japanese Army column striking to the south-west from the Lunghai Railway. At both stations, the communique asserted, buildings in the railway compounds as well as godowns were hit, causing extensive fires among munitions and other supplies stored there. Rails were also cut at various points.

In South China, the second attack in two days was repeated against Yuantan bridge, where one span was caused to collapse while another was partially demolished. At the Pitsunchwang bridge, "great damage" was claimed having been inflicted to the portions remaining intact after Friday's raid. Tracks were also cut at several points near the bridges. Raids on the Canton-Kowloon railway resulted in the destruction of several sections of track.

In the Yangtze Valley, naval aircraft continued to bomb Chinese positions and concentration points on both banks of the river in operations designed to assist the progress of land and river units, according to the communique.

Moscow Takes Border Precautions

Important Military Steps On The West

Moscow, Sept. 11.

Important military measures have been taken in the proximity of Soviet Russia's western borders in order to face any emergency.

The Kiev and White Russia military districts have become "special districts" and have been granted an autonomy similar to that of the Far Eastern Army in order that they may enter into immediate action if necessary. Roads and railways between Moscow and the western borders have been undergoing strenuous repairs ever since the Anschluss, and are now entirely modernized.

The effectives of the army have been brought to maximum figures and kept ready for action. A new contingent is gradually being called to the colours while recruits whose terms are due to expire will be kept until September 20. The autumn manoeuvres ended recently but it is understood that the troops have not returned to their garrisons.

Long lines of mechanized units have been seen frequently progressing along the main roads. Huge quantities of supplies, foodstuffs, and other materials have been stored for the army since the beginning of the year.—Havas.

China May Leave The League

Possibility if Sanctions are Not Applied; Covenant Reforms Opposed

Geneva, Sept. 10.

The possibility of China withdrawing from the League of Nations if the other member-states do not apply Article XVI of the Covenant, on sanctions, was clearly pointed out by Dr. Wellington Koo, Chinese Ambassador to France and chief delegate here, in a talk today with Mr. R. A. Butler, British Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs here in place of the Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax.

It is understood that the Chinese representatives to the League have adopted a very strong attitude in private conversations recently, requesting the application of Article XVII of the Covenant which provides that the League should invite belligerent nations, even though non-members, to submit their differences to League investigation. This article further provides that should one of the belligerents refuse to take temporary member responsibilities in such a case, Article XVI on the application of sanctions should be put into effect. China's appeal will be discussed by the Council within ten days, it is now learnt.

In the meantime, the Chinese delegates here have adopted a clear attitude as regards Covenant reforms, strongly opposing suggestions from the Oslo Convention powers that sanctions should be decreed non-compulsory. They have also insisted upon the necessity of financial assistance being rendered to victims of aggression.

Oslo Group Wants Reform

In order to agree upon a common attitude towards the reform of the League of Nations Covenant, representatives of the States forming the Oslo Convention group were to meet here this afternoon. The Convention group includes Belgium, Luxembourg, Holland, Denmark, Sweden, Norway and Finland.

It is recalled that last July, representatives of these States met in Copenhagen and finally issued a statement asserting that they considered the compulsory sanctions provided for in Article XVI of the League Covenant as optional only. However, it is now believed that several other delegations to the League will oppose a general recognition of the optional character of sanctions.

Some delegates, it is pointed out, esteem the present moment inopportune insofar as any Covenant reforms are concerned. It is believed that all will try to find a compromise satisfying the Oslo group and, at the same time, not modifying the obligations of the other nations.—Havas.

Cotton Commission Coming Here

Kiangsu and Chekiang to Be Explored

Headed by Dr. Nakaye Enomoto, professor at Kyoto Imperial University, a government-sponsored commission for the investigation of cotton productoin in Central China will leave Tokyo today for Shanghai for a 40-day tour of Kiangsu and Chekiang Provinces, according to Domei.

The group will comprise both official and civilian experts who will devise means to increase raw cotton production in those areas.

This is the second plan of its kind aimed at creating a "raw cotton autarchy" comprising China and Japan. The first scheme, already in effect in North China, consists of a 10-year plan for the gradual increase of cotton production in North China. The programme are sponsored by the Ministry of Overseas Affairs.

Hatchet Killer Flees After Morning Crime

Chinese Found Murdered In Rue Montmorand

The mutilated body of a coolie was discovered yesterday morning at 6.30 o'clock at 737 Rue Brenier de Montmorand, and the French Police were notified. Investigation revealed that the victim had been murdered by some-one wielding a hatchet. His throat had been badly hacked. He had not been dead very long.

The assailant, whose identity was not discovered, escaped.

Fourth Marines Church

The capacity congregation that filled the Grand Theatre yesterday morning for the last Fourth Marines' church service and concert to be were well rewarded with the excellent programme presented. The Sunday morning programmes will be held in the Metropol Theatre, commencing September 18. R. R. Marken, Regimental Chaplain of the Fourth Marines, conducted the worship and delivered a vital message in his sermon on the interesting theme "When Life Tumbles In."

As a special musical feature of the worship, a clarinet quintet composed of members of the band rendered the beautiful melody "One Sweetly Solemn Thought" by Parks. Selections played by the Fourth Marines Band included the prelude "Largo" by Dvorak and for the Offertory "Romance" by the renowned Tschaikowsky. Sergeant Sheehan led the singing of the hymns with accompaniment by the Marine Band.

Immediately following the service, the Fourth Marines' Band, ably conducted by Staff Sergeant William R. Stuart, rendered an excellent programmes of concert selections. The programme opened with the beautiful overture "Martha" by Flotow and for the second number the band played Lugini's lovely suite "Ballet Egyptien." Featured as the guest artist in the concert was Mr. Albert Bond, tenor, who sang several outstanding solos. Included were "The Garden of Your Heart" by Dorel, "For You Alone" by Geehl and Clutsam's "I Know of Two Bright Eyes." Mr. Bond was well received by an appreciative audience.

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

No Rain, But Shanghai Street in Flood

It did not rain yesterday but this street was flooded about noon yesterday. It is Kin Wo Ka, a small street off Nanking Road near Wing On's and floods here coincide with the high tides in the Whangpoo.

Prince Ferdinand and Bride Arriving

Russian Colony to Welcome Distinguished Visitors

Prince Louis Ferdinand, grandson of the ex-Kaiser, and his wife the former Grand Duchess Kyra of Russia, arrive this afternoon in the ss. Hoten Maru on their honeymoon tour of the world. The distinguished couple originally planned to visit Shanghai several weeks ago but deferred to make a tour of North China and Manchoukuo, from where they are now due.

Representatives of the local Russian Colony headed by Mr. Ch. Metzler, as well as numerous German and Russian well-wishers, will meet the couple at the D. K. K. Wharf today at about 3 p.m. The royal couple will immediately proceed to Cathay Hotel. No interviews or receptions are to be held today as the visitors will spend the rest of the day resting from the journey.

Tomorrow noon they will attend a solemn religious service at the Russian Orthodox Cathedral at 55 Rue Paul Henri and then visit the St. Nicolas' Church at 18 Rue Corneille. A private reception will be given in their honour tomorrow at 5.30 p.m. at 57 Columbia Rd. residence of the local German Consul-General, while on Wednesday at 5.30 p.m. they will be guests of honour at the cocktail party given by the local Russian Community at the Cathay Hotel, while later a private dinner is planned at the Arcadia. The distinguished visitors are leaving for Europe in the mv. Victoria on Thursday morning.

Newspaper Provides More Aeroplanes

Japan Getting Ten More From "Asahi" Group

Tokyo, Sept. 11.

Bringing to 100 the number of aircraft constructed by the Army and the Navy with funds contributed by the public through the Tokyo and Osaka "Asahi" newspapers, 10 more machines will soon wing their way to China as the result of new donations, it was revealed here today.

The "Asahi" newspapers on September 7 remitted to the War and Navy Ministries Y.300,000 each representing their respective shares in the donations of the fund which aggregate Y.6,605,400 over the last eight months. On two previous occasions, equal amounts were withdrawn from the fund for handing over to the services.

Fighting craft, each costing Y.60,000, will be built with the latest contributions, it was announced.—Domei.

Jews Flocking Into Belgium

Government Acts to Place Check in Arrivals

Brussels, Sept. 10.

Measures aiming to put a stop to the increasing Jewish immigration have been reinforced by the authorities since it is estimated that some 2,000 Viennese Jews have illegally entered the country within the past several weeks.

It is now established that these refugees follow a set route of emigration in their efforts to enter Belgium. Along this route it is said, they are accorded facilities for penetration into this country by the German authorities themselves. The authorities co-operate with certain Belgians and foreigners who act as intermediaries in the "human-smuggling" chain across the frontier.

Those Jews who solicited the assistance of the Committee of Help for Jews before August 27 will be permitted to remain in Belgium until such time as they may migrate to other countries, however. But others will be taken back to the frontiers and expelled from the country.

In enforcing these measures aiming to curb immigration from Germany, several squads of policemen have been sent to the eastern frontier to stop new refugees attempting to escape from their native land.—Havas.

Bandit Arrested But Two Accomplices Escape

A Chinese walking in Swatow Road, near Yu Ya Ching Road, was stopped by three robbers at 12.30 o'clock midnight yesterday and deprived of money and jewellery, the total value of which was $45. The victim cried out, and one of the robbers was arrested and taken to the Louza Station. The other two bandits, who were armed, escaped.

More Landing Party Manœuvres

Manœuvres will be held by the Japanese Special Naval Landing Party today and tomorrow over a wide area extending east of the line of the Chenju Radio Station, north of Soochow Creek, south of the Kiangwan Race Course and west of Yangchingchen Creek, Pootung according to local Japanese newspapers.

New French Station Picked Up Here

"Paris Mondial" Asks For Reception Reports

Radio listeners in all parts of the world are doing their bit co-operating in the constant improvement of the broadcasts from the new powerful French short wave station "Paris Mondial," states Havas.

The management of the station, which started operating on April 1 this year, asked listeners to report on the quality of the broadcasts and the conditions of reception in their respective parts of the world. Since then, letters have been pouring in from all points since the station can be picked up in nearly all countries by means of its directed beam broadcasts, which, according to the hours of the day, cover the Near East, the Far East, South America, North and Central America, Africa and the Eastern Mediterranean.

The broadcasts daily are directed to the Far East, one being from 10.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. G.M.T. (6.00 p.m. to 11.00 p.m. Shanghai Time) and the other from 1.30 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. G.M.T. (9.30 p.m. to 11.00 p.m. Shanghai Time). The first broadcast may be picked up on a wave length of 19.68 metres or 15.243 kilocycles, and its call letters are TPA-2; the second may be received by tuning in on 16.84 metres or 17.810 kilocycles, its call letters being TPB-3.

Letters reporting on the conditions of reception in China and technical particulars should be addressed to: Station Paris-Mondial, Les Essarts-le-Roi, France, where they will be gratefully acknowledged.

Guerillas Active Along Railways

Newly-Formed Units Harass Japanese Rear

Hankow, Sept. 11.

Using Wutsin, on the Shanghai-Nanking Railway north-west of Taihu, as their base of operations, Chinese mobile units in the triangle area on the border of Kiangsu, Chekiang and Anhwei provinces are conducting large-scale guerilla warfare in the Japanese rear, according to Chinese reports.

The guerillas are said to be chiefly active along the Shanghai-Nanking Railway, the Shanghai-Hangchow Railway, the Grand Canal, the Nanking-Wuhu Railway, and various highways in the area.

These mobile units are reported to include the new Fourth Army, the "South Yangtze" vanguards, the "East Anhwei" vanguards, the loyal National Salvation Army, and also regular troops of the Chinese national army and numerous volunteer self-defence corps.—Reuter.

Funeral of the Late Cardinal Hayes

4,000 Catholic Dignitaries Walk in Procession

New York, Sept. 9.

Eleven Hundred police today controlled a throng of 50,000 witnessing the most picturesque procession of the Church in North America as Cardinal Patrick Hayes' funeral cortege wound its way toward St. Patrick's cathedral.

At the Cathedral a pontifical mass was sung which was carried by loudspeakers to the crowds unable to reach the church. Four thousand Cardinals, Archbishops, Bishops, Monsignori, priests, noblemen of the Church and other dignitaries filed behind the prominent Cardinal's casket.

Cardinal George Mundelein, more than fifty years ago a schoolmate of Cardinal Hayes, sang the mass.—United Press.

Japanese Raid Wuhan District

Power-Dives Over Hankow Aerodrome

Hankow, Sept. 11.

Nine Japanese aeroplanes circled above Hankow, Wuchang and Hanyang this morning for over half an hour, drawing heavy anti-aircraft fire.

The raiders power-dived to machine-gun and bomb Wuchang and also the Hankow aerodrome. They finally disappeared at 8.30.—Reuter.

Hangchow Boat Service To Resume

After a delay of several weeks, the resumption of inland river shipping service between Shanghai and Hangchow will start on September 15 when a vessel operated by the Shanghai Inland River Steamship Company will leave here for the lake-side city, carrying both passengers and cargo. Vessels on the service will call at Minghong, Sungkiang, Kahsing, Wucheng and Hsing Shih, Domei stated yesterday.

Two Large Fires Near Boundaries

Settlement Brigade Fights Flames at Toyoda Mill and "Windy Corner"

Settlement firemen were called upon yesterday morning to battle flames at two points, north and west, near Municipal boundaries, where serious damage was done to Chinese and Japanese properties. One Chinese fireman was so severely affected by fumes at one of the fires that he had to be taken in an ambulance to the Police Hospital.

The first blaze started shortly after 6 o'clock in the Toyoda No. 1 Cotton Mill, 200 Jessfield Road, just west of the British defence perimeter in western Shanghai. This mill, which figured prominently in the latter part of last year's hostilities, has been occupied by Japanese soldiers since the Japanese crossing of the Soochow Creek, west of Chung Shan Road, last November. The Chinese troops, before withdrawing from the mill, set fire to it on November 9 last.

Members of the Shanghai Fire Brigade again turned out to the Toyoda mill at 6.16 o'clock yesterday morning in response to an alarm which said that a two-storey godown there was aflame. Three engine crews from the Bubbling Well Station went to the mill and worked there for two and a half hours. A large quantity of cotton was destroyed and acrid fumes hampered the work of the firemen. One Chinese was affected by smoke and had to be sent to hospital by ambulance.

None of the Japanese soldiers quartered at the mill were injured.

"Windy Corner" Has Fire

The other large fire occurred before daylight yesterday in a spacious Chinese dwelling-house at North Honan and Range Roads, Shanghai's famous "Windy Corner." Central Station firemen were called to this locality at 2.50 a.m. The flames were burning on all three floors of the structure, and considerable damage was caused before they could be extinguished. The firemen spent nearly two hours at the scene. No-one was injured.

Newsreel Men Arrive for "The Day"

Japanese Will Film Fall Of Hankow

To the small Army of Japanese newsreel cameramen following the troops in their westward drive towards the Wuhan tri-cities, on Saturday were added two new recruits in the persons of Mr. Soji Kimura, producer, and Mr. Kiyoshi Mamada, cameraman, of the Toho Film Company of Tokyo, who arrived in Shanghai in the Shanghai Maru, the Shanghai "Mainichi" reported yesterday.

The two men have been entrusted with recording scenes of the capture of Hankow to be used in two projected Toho films "The Yangtze" and "Hankow." After a brief stay at the Astor House Hotel, Mr. Kimura and Mr. Mamada intend to proceed up-river, the "Mainichi" said. Aboard the Shanghai Maru Saturday were 133 first-class and 330 second-class passengers.

Shanghai Junk in Mid-Pacific

Hummel-Hummel Seen 1,700 Miles Off Coast

Half-way across the Pacific in its journey from Yokohama to Los Angeles with a crew of four, the eight-ton Shanghai junk Hummel-Hummel was sighted at a point 1, 700 miles off the California Coast, the Los Angeles "Times" reported on Friday on the basis of a radio message from an American steamer, states Domei.

The junk left Yokohama on July 12 on a 4,800-mile trans-Pacific journey. Aboard her were Dr. E. Allen Peterson, Los Angeles physician, his Japanese wife, the former Miss Tane Yoshiwara, and two Russian sailors from Shanghai. The junk carries three months' provisions and 500 gallons of water.

The four adventurers announced their intention of crossing the Pacific in 80 days.

Chinese Woman Said Found Strangled

Body Alleged to Have Been Left Near Hungjao Road

A report was circulated yesterday that the body of a Chinese woman had been discovered, yesterday morning, off Hungjao Road "near the Radio Telephone Station." It was said that the woman had been strangled to death. The French Police were unable to confirm the report yesterday afternoon.

Soviets Want Women Locomotive Drivers

Moscow, Sept. 10.

M. L. M. Kaganovitch, People's Commissar of Heavy Industry, issued orders today to all railway directors to organize seriously a campaign of recruiting and instructing women capable of driving locomotives.

This decision is taken as a result of a fine record established by a train run by a feminine crew headed by mechanic Zinaida Troitskaia, who with two helpers made the Moscow-Kurovskaia run in record time. In his cable of congratulations to this crew, M. Kaganovitch stated that the women's exploit effectively refuted the theory, false and harmful, that women could not be good mechanics.—Havas.

Loans being raised by the Department of Finance of the Chekiang Provincial Government on behalf of Chinese fishermen in Tinghai, Chenhai and the Szechiao Isles off the Kiangsu coasts, says a report to the "Sin Wan Pao." Each fishing district, according to the report, will receive from $5,000 to $10,000 in loans to enable the fishermen to equip themselves with junks, provisions and other necessities during the autumn fishing season.

Marechal Joffre Expected Today

Chitral Sails Tomorrow; Victoria and M. M. Ship Leave on Thursday

Latest advice received from the local offices of the M.M. states their mv. Marechal Joffre arrives from Kobe today at about 7 p.m. and will berth at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's Hongkew Wharf, while her arriving passengers should reach the Customs Jetty by 7.30 p.m. Stopping here for about three days, she will proceed to Marseilles on Thursday at 7 a.m. and call as usual at Hongkong, Saigon, Singapore, Colombo, Djibouti, Suez and Port Said. The outgoing passengers should have their baggage delivered to 8 Quai de France tomorrow between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

As previously announced, the P. & O. ss. Chitral sails tomorrow from buoys 12-13 for Marseilles and London by way of Hongkong, Singapore, Penang, Colombo, Aden, Port Said and Malta. The passenger tender leaves the Customs Jetty at 9.30 a.m. and will not accept any heavy packages which should be conveyed today to the lighter at the same jetty between 2 and 3 p.m.

According to present arrangements, the L. T. fast freighter Volpi arrives today at daylight from Europe and way ports and will berth at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Company's East Pootung Wharf, which she will leave today at 5 p.m. for Japan ports and Dairen.

Leaving for Formosa (Keelung and Takao) the O.S.K. ss. Hongkong Maru sails today at 9 a.m. The N.Y.K. ss. Nagasaki Maru leaves tomorrow at 9 a.m. for Nagasaki direct; while the D.K.K. ss. Hoten Maru sails for Tsingtao and Dairen tomorrow at 11 a.m.

Victoria Sails

The L. T. liner Victoria leaves on Thursday at 11 a.m. for Naples and Genoa via Hongkong, Manila, Singapore, Colombo, Bombay, Aden, Massowa and Port Said. Her outgoing passengers will be conveyed to the ship by tender from the Customs Jetty at 8 a.m. while their heavy luggage should be delivered to the lighter at the same jetty, on Wednesday from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The H.A.L. mv. Leverkusen should sail on Wednesday for Hongkong, Manila, Singapore, Colombo, Port Said, Genoa, Rotterdam and Hamburg; while the Blue Funnel ss. Patroclus arrives on the same day from Glasgow, Liverpool and Hongkong and will berth at Holt's Wharf from where she will proceed on the following day to Taku Bar.

Arriving from Manila and Hongkong, the Maersk Line mv. Gertrude Maersk should enter port on Wednesday. Stopping here for about two days, she will sail on September 16 for Kobe, Nagoya, Yokohama, Los Angeles, Panama, Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Savannah, Norfolk and New York.

Local offices of the I.-C.S.N. Co. expect their ss. Hangsang this morning at the Roosevelt Terminal Wharf from Hongkong and Swatow. She will shift to the Roosevelt Terminal Buoys tomorrow at noon and sail for Tsingtao, Chefoo and Tientsin on Wednesday at daylight.

The C. N. ss. Shengking leaves the French Bund tomorrow at 10 a.m. for Tsingtao, Weihaiwei, Chefoo and Tientsin; their ss. Ninghai sails from the same Bund this noon for Wenchow, Swatow, Hongkong and Canton; while the ss. Taiyuan leaves from the French Bund for Swatow, Hongkong and Canton, tomorrow at noon. The same company's mv. Wusueh sails for Hsinkong and Hupukow tomorrow at 6 a.m.

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Haile Selassie and League

No Representative Unless Ethiopia is Mentioned

Geneva, Sept. 10.

Haile Selassie, Emperor without a country, informed M. Joseph Avenol, the Secretary-General of the League, that he would not send a delegation to the forthcoming session of the assembly unless questions specially connected with Ethiopia are to be discussed.

Meanwhile, at a public session today the Council examined technical reports, notably that of the Finance Committee and of the Economic Committee.

Important diplomatic conversations were held here by the delegates. M. Maxim Litvinoff, Soviet Foreign Commissar, conferred with M. Petrescu Comnene, Roumanian Foreign Minister, and with Yugoslavian representative, Mr. Soubotvich.—Havas.

Tientsin Starts Search Of Pedestrians

Tientsin, Sept. 11.

Apparently owing to fear of the infiltration of bandits who recently were active in the villages near Tientsin, the authorities last night enforced precautions, pedestrians and others entering or leaving the Sino-Japanese areas being searched for arms.

The occupants of motor-cars were carefully scrutinized, and trams were stopped on the border of these areas. The precautions were relaxed this morning.—Reuter.

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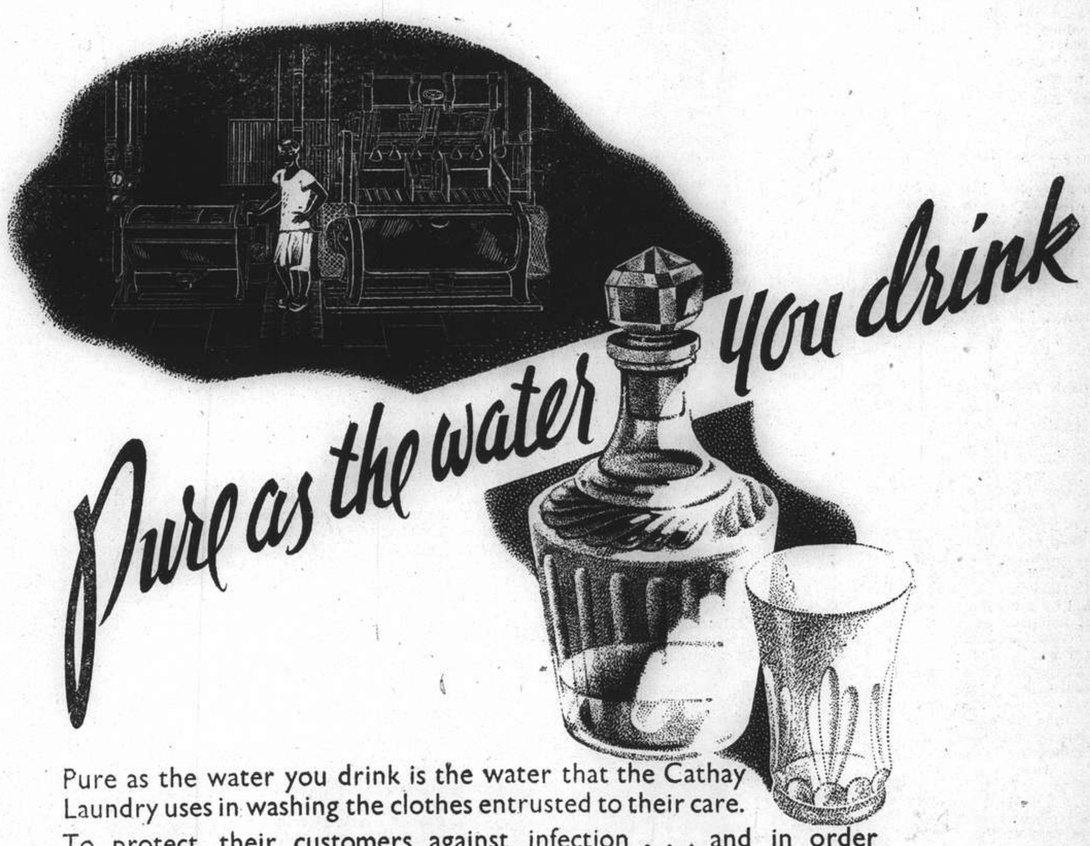

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FROM DAY TO DAY

MR. Auguste Chapelain arrived yesterday in the mv. Victoria.

MR. E. P. Yannoulatos, local Greek Consul-General, arrived yesterday in the mv. Victoria, accompanied by Mrs. Yannoulatos.

THE address of Messrs Health-Rays, Ltd., a British company, mentioned in the article on "Infra-Red Ray Discoveries," which appeared yesterday, is 770 Bubbling Well Road.

MR. Justice Luxmoore, who is named as a prospective Judge of Appeal, has a practical hobby. He knits his own socks. An increasing number of men do needlework, although not all of them admit it. The Earl of Harewood, for instance, is quite an expert at petit point.

AN artist of whom we are likely to hear more is Miss Catherine Sinclair, elder daughter of the leader of the Liberal Opposition, Sir Archibald Sinclair. Like most young people who are connected with the famous, she finds her kinship a drawback rather than otherwise. One of her great-aunts was the late Frances Countess of Warwick.

ADDING impetus to the Japanese self-reform campaign launched in Hongkew earlier this month, eight slogans out of 510 received by the committee in charge, were selected as prize winners on Saturday, local Japanese newspapers reported yesterday. "Reform today for tomorrow's victory" by Mr. Nobuo Miura, 206 Range Road, was given the first prize. Mr. Miura is a Y.M.C.A. worker.

MR. W. M. Hughes, the Australian statesman who seems to want to abolish the Dominions Office, was once a pupil teacher at a Church school in Westminster. When he was in London during the war he delighted both the children and the teachers of that school by paying it a visit. So long ago as 1884 he emigrated to Australia, and eventually made good as a lawyer.

IN many respects, the new canon of Westminster, Canon W. Thompson Elliott, is a rather unconventional parson. For the past twelve years he has been Vicar of Leeds, and may often be seen in the town dressed in a light brown sports suit with soft shirt and collar. His connections with Leeds are of long standing. His father was vicar at a village about six miles away and Canon Elliott himself married a Leeds lady.

"RECONSTRUCTION in China and the Sino-Japanese war" formed the subject of a discourse delivered on Saturday by Dr. Cheng Yao-tung, law professor of the Nanking University, before the International Union of Lawyers meeting at Budapest. The speaker sketched the progress and creation of the modern State of China despite foreign aggression. Juridically and morally, he said, Japanese aggression was the runner-up of banditry and piracy.

BRIGADIER A. N. Floyer-Acland : transferred from India to be major-general of the Northumbrian Division Served with distinction in the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry during and after the war. The Aclands are Westcountrymen to the core, and theirs is a household name in both Devon and Cornwall. And as Cornishmen know a good deal about mining folk, the new general will get on well up north, where so many Territorials are miners.

SIR Granville Bantock, the distinguished composer, recently celebrated his 70th birthday. His father was a surgeon, and intended his son for the Indian Civil Service. But the youngster thought otherwise, promptly won a R.A.M. scholarship, and, to use his own words, has since been self-supporting. One of his first appointments was as conductor of a brass band at New Brighton. But in less than six months he had converted the band into a first-rate symphony orchestra.

VISCOUNT Carlow, whose wife recently presented him with a son and heir, is a brilliant young man. Formerly a Guards officer, he is now a member of an Auxiliary Air Force squadron, is an expert on wireless and aerodynamics for an aeroplane firm speaks five or six languages, and runs a private printing press off Fleet-street. Here, with the help of one printer, he turns out limited editions of rare beauty. Among them was an edition of Lawrence of Arabia's diary written before his famous "Seven Pillars of Wisdom."

To a First Lord of the Admiralty Mr. Duff Cooper's voyage through the Kiel Canal in the Admiralty yacht Enchantress must have been interesting. Every two or three miles throughout the whole length of the canal are great bays. The purpose of these is to allow battleships to turn round without leaving the canal. Mr. Duff Cooper and his wife, Lady Diana entertained friends on board, but have to pay the Admiralty about £1 a day for each guest. The financial watchdogs of the House of Commons see to that.

SIR John Harris's discovery of an African native reputed to be 140 years old is a reminder of his own adventurous life in the Dark Continent. In his younger days he was a missionary and a great traveller. He has spent many weeks at a time in the jungle and has travelled thousands of miles by canoe along the great rivers. He has had many narrow escapes from being mauled by crocodiles, elephants and other big game. He was in the Congo at the time the world's attention was focused on the atrocities in the rubber plantations there, and his reports did much to remedy them For many years he has been secretary of the Anti-Slavery Society.

MAJOR-GENERAL Roger Evans, the new Commander of the Mobile Division, probably the most important, as it is the most interesting, unit of the Army's modern organisation, will lead the Division in its field training during the next six weeks. He has infantry motor battalions, motorised machine-gun regiments, light tank cavalry and mechanised field batteries which were once the famous Royal Horse Artillery batteries, to put through their paces. One result of this mechanization is that the famous Equitation School at Weedon will become in time just a small remount depot. Ten years ago the Army had 18,630 horses; today it has only 5,205, and this number will be further reduced.

Oil Well Seizures Defended

Mexican President's View On Foreign Investments

Mexico City, Sept. 10.

President Lazaro Cardenas, speaking before the International Congress Against War and Fascism, today attacked the doctrine permitting a nation to protect its citizens' investments in foreign countries.

He said the policy resulted in "diplomatic war followed by economic war and then even by armed war." "A citizen who leaves his country," the President said, "must accept all the circumstances."

President Cardenas said the concentration of wealth was one of the causes of war and defended the expropriation of foreign oil properties in Mexico. "Wealth which is neither the product of work nor capital should be enjoyed by all," he declared.

The President also protested against wars on and the bombing of open cities.

The Chief Executive, who suspended diplomatic relations with Great Britain last May 13 in a dispute over land payments and as an aftermath to the expropriation of British oil properties in Mexico, received a great ovation from the delegates to the Congress when he stated his policy.—United Press.

American Answer Ready

Washington, Sept. 11.

Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State today convoked several State Department advisers to inform them of the text of the American note which will be sent to Mexico shortly through the United States Ambassador in Mexico City, refuting the Mexican arguments in connection with the expropriation problem and reiterating the views already outlined by Washington.

The United States considers it indispensable that Mexico give a guarantee in principle that she will settle the question of indemnities for expropriated properties, in order to allow for the creation of the commission of mediation and arbitrage already suggested by the United States.—Havas.

Pope Receives Mission From Manchoukuo

Emperor's Greetings are Conveyed to Pontiff

Castel Gandolfo, Sept. 10.

His Holiness today received the Manchoukuoan Mission which handed him a message from Emperor Kang Teh of Manchoukuo.

The Pope expressed joy at receiving a mission from such a far away country where Catholic missions were flourishing and thanked the members for the beautiful piece of jade which the Emperor had sent him. "May Almighty God bless Manchoukuo" he said. "We have large religious interests in Manchoukuo. The Emperor may rely upon our co-operation in the development of direct relations between the Holy See and Manchoukuo and for the development and welfare of his country."

In conclusion, His Holiness announced that he would send the Emperor a gold medal cast annually for the celebration of the Pontificate.

This morning, the mission was received by Cardinal Pacelli, the Papal Secretary of State.—Havas.

VISCOUNTESS Runciman, who accompanied her husband to Prague, is one of the most capable women in the political world. She is missing for the present what is to her a real joy—a vacation in her beloved Northumberland, where, among other activities, she runs a farm. Both Lord and Lady Runciman are North Country people. Her father, the late Mr. J. C. Stevenson, was member of Parliament for many years for South Shields, and he saw to it that his daughter knew all about public affairs. She is a Girton girl, and her first appearance in public affairs was as a member of the old school board at Newcastle. It was there that she met "Walter," as she always calls him, for he was elected a member of the school board at the same time. She has been in Parliament, too, for she kept the St. Ives seat warm for her husband for a couple of years.

Not Like Other Girls.

The lot of the girl who is "not like other girls" in the fact that she cannot participate in outdoor games because she lacks the strength and energy to do so is indeed hard. When she does overcome her nervous disinclination, and attempts to play, she quickly gets out of breath, her heart thumps appallingly, her face becomes flushed and her head dizzy, she feels hot and distressed and soon has to stop, completely exhausted.

The trouble with this girl is that she is anaemic. Her blood has become so thin and impoverished that her whole system is starved through lack of that nourishment which normal healthy, rich, red blood carries every minute of the day to the organs, muscles, fibres and nerves of the body.

To such a girl Dr. Williams' Pink Pills—so-called because of their pink sugar coating—give immediate help, containing, as they do, just the elements necessary to build up the blood, to fill it with red corpuscles, to enrich it with energy-producing, brain, nerve and muscle feeding haemoglobin. And persevered with for from 30 to 60 days their beneficent results are astonishing.

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60 Injured in Train Collision

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Sept. 11.

Sixty persons were injured, mostly slightly, yesterday when a passenger train from Glasgow collided with a stationary engine near Paisley.—Reuter.

British Cabinet Holds Last-Minute Sessions

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Paris, Sept. 10.

Observers here are not greatly surprised by the violent speech made at Nuremberg today by Field Marshal Herman Goering, Reich's Air Minister, pointing to it merely as the confirmation of Germany's huge war preparations.

"It reveals the Reich's intentions to warn the democracies that they will incur great danger if they oppose Germany's expansion," politicians specify.

At the same time, some significance is attached to Field Marshal Goering's insistence upon Italo-German friendship, "apparently designed to dispel impressions on Italy's dubious attitude and beliefs that the Sudeten Problem has shaken the solidarity of the axis.—Havas.

French Foreign Minister in Geneva

Geneva, Sept. 11.

M. Georges Bonnet, the French Foreign Minister, arrived here this morning to confer with several Ministers of Foreign Affairs from other countries.

He will notably meet M. Maxim Litvinov, the Soviet Foreign Commissar, and M. Petrescu Comnene, the Roumanian Foreign Minister with whom he has already fixed an appointment. M. Bonnet will return to France shortly.—Havas.

President Roosevelt Follows Events

Keen Interest in European Developments

Washington, Sept. 10.

President Roosevelt on his special car en route to Rochester, Minn. where his son James is lying ill, today focused critical attention on the international situation and studied latest reports of developments resulting from Herr Adolf Hitler's warning that Germany was determined "to capitulate to no one."

Although no direct word issued from the President's car on the European problem, his friends did not minimize the President's deep concern.

Mr. Roosevelt's associates indicated that the threat to world peace has reached such proportions that it was completely overshadowing his interest in the important domestic political scene.

The President on the special train will arrive in Rochester on Sunday morning where he will remain for several days. It was expected, however, that he would keep in close telephonic communication with the State Department and receive the latest advices from America's Embassies in Europe.—United Press.

Ein !

A correspondent tells me that in one of the Austrian spas he saw this notice:

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Ein Volk.
Ein Besucher.

The first three entries were officially printed. The last entry ("One Visitor") was written in chalk.

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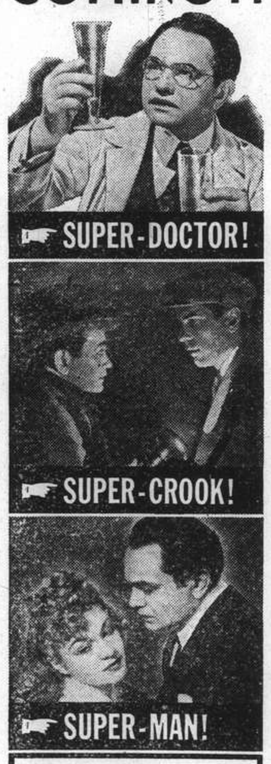

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Route Sayzoong Fire Stirs Neighbourhood

Concession Fire Brigade Promptly Answer Call

Fire was reported yesterday at about 11.30 p.m. at 161 Route Sayzoong, a Chinese shop near the corner of Avenue Foch. The French Fire Brigade promptly answered the call and fire engines from Poste Bassail Bridou raced to the scene. The Shanghai Fire Bridge, also despatched several engines to the scene of the disaster, but these stood by for some time on the Settlement side of the Avenue Foch, and as their assistance was not required, returned to their station about quarter of an hour later

The Concession fire engines remained on the spot until early this morning. No casualties were reported up to that time and the damage sustained believed to be less than was originally feared, for the flames which broke through the roof of the building, were seen for a long distance in the darkness of the night.

OBITUARY

Mr. Charles Cruft

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Sept. 11.

The death occurred today, at the age of 86, of Mr. Charles Cruft, organiser of the famous Cruft's dog show, which celebrated its diamond jubilee in 1936. He began life as a messenger boy.—Reuter.

Another Cruiser Order

Newcastle, Aug. 19.

An Admiralty order for a new Gido class cruiser given to R. and W. Hawthorn, Leslie, and Co., of Hebburn, will ensure continuity of employment to hundreds of mid-Tyne shipyard workers who would otherwise be without work on completion of current orders by the company. The boat will take about two years to complete and the keel will not be laid for two or three months, until work on the 5,000-ton cruiser and four destroyers in hand is in a more advanced stage.

The Gido class boats, each of which will cost £1,500,000, will have a displacement of about 5,500 tons. Tyneside's naval work in hand consists of two battleships, an aircraft-carrier, five cruisers, and 15 destroyers—at a cost of £50,000,000.

Back to Nature Boy Undergoes Tests

Astonished Doctors by Remarkable Fitness

A back-to-nature boy, aged nine, who lives with his parents in a wood on a strict vegetarian diet, has undergone a number of tests at St. Thomas's Hospital, Lambeth, S.E., and has astonished doctors by his remarkable fitness.

Taken by car to the hospital at nine a.m., having had no breakfast, he was rested for an hour before tests were made. One showed a vitamin C content six times greater than that of people on an ordinary diet.

Father's Statement

His father, a man of education, says of him: It is only due to too many tea parties and consequent starch and sugar consumption that he ever gets mildly out of sorts, and is not at his best until the poisons have been eliminated sometimes by a short fast. I am satisfied that it is not possible for him to develop any serious symptoms due to infection from which he has so far remained free.

Sir Leonard Hill, the physiologist, giving details in the "British Medical Journal," says the boy: Weighs 4st 3lb. and is 4ft. 4in. tall; is bright and intelligent; with clear skin and eyes; walks 10 miles a day with ease; takes a cold bath every morning and an air-bath out of doors.

Has remarkable power of chest expansion and abdominal retraction, due to breathing exercises; does well at school and holds his own with other boys.

Eats no meat, fish, eggs, or bread at home, and scarcely any milk or cheese; but is allowed to eat bread and butter and cake when he goes out to tea about once a week.

Pineapple Breakfast

His school is two and a half miles away and there he has vegetables for dinner, with some fruit. A typical day's diet is:

Breakfast.—After walking five miles to church and back—one fairly thick slice of pineapple, weighing about 6oz.

Lunch.—Baked spinach and onion pie, with a very thin crust made of wholemeal flour, cheese and milk, about 10oz. in all.

Tea.—Two apples, one orange, two small tomatoes, in all about 12oz., including the skin of the orange; one small ice.

Sir Leonard compares the 800 calories which the boy receives daily from his diet with the 4,800 calories represented in the meals of a Zoo chimpanzee.

DR. Hewlett Johnson, the 64-year-old Dean of Canterbury, whose engagement to his 31-year-old second cousin was recently announced, was really meant to be an engineer, and indeed, is qualified for that work. He learnt his science at the University of Manchester, but then went to Oxford to study theology. He is the most unorthodox of Church dignitaries, and, although his sincerity is generally acknowledged, his outspokenness has often got him into hot water. Once he advocated handing over Northern Australia to the Japanese. He threw himself into the Social Credit campaign in Alberta. He invited Gandhi to attend a service at Canterbury Cathedral, and followed this by inviting the Salvation Army to hold a service there. All the same, he is a popular Dean, and his preaching is held by good judges of sermons to be really first-class. In his younger days Dr. Johnson was a fine athlete. He got his rowing "blue" at Oxford, and once walked 60 miles in a day round the Isle of Arran.

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A gang of eight Chinese, all armed with pistols, waylaid a motor-car carrying nearly $20,000—China General Omnibus Company receipts—in Connaught Road near Yenping Road at 9 o'clock yesterday morning and stole most of the money.

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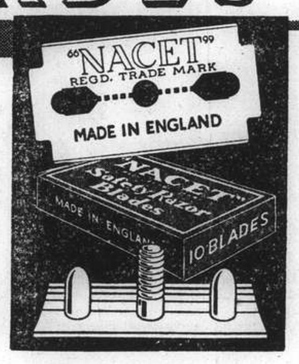

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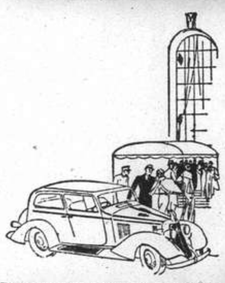

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THE SPORTS PAGE

Carson Again Local Champion

H. Collaco Puts Up Stout Battle in Final of Shanghai Men's Singles

LEWIS D. Carson captured the Shanghai men's senior singles championship for the fourth consecutive time on the Shanghai Lawn Tennis Association court yesterday afternoon. The title-holder disposed of Humberto Collaco in four sets by the scores of 6-1, 6-4, 1-6, 6-0.

The local champion, after losing a love game to the Portuguese to start with, found his stride in the second frame and opened superbly with crisp drives down the lines and soon won the set. Only two games reached deuce.

Carson continued to make short work of his adversary in the early stages of the second set as he was seen leading by four games to one. It seemed almost certain at this juncture that the match would quickly finish and the American star would garner the championship in easy style. The trailer, however, played at his best and retrieved in fairly sturdy manner. He could lengthen the rallies somewhat, but their end was inevitable, often from either a neat volley or a deadly smash from the champion's racket.

However, to the surprise of the spectators, Collaco's accuracy improved in the sixth game of the second set and, with the help of service, cut the margin down to 4-2. Carson took the next game after a hot struggle which went to deuce three times but he was unable to polish off the set. Using stronger passing shots Collaco was the better of the two during the uprising. His volleying forays were the more numerous and the more successful, and in a short time the loser had won the eighth and nineth games to bring the score to 5-4.

Collaco's Threat

While Collaco was coming up from behind, Carson reasserted himself. The threat of a set lost brought him back to life and he ran out with fine drives to either corner, supplemented by some acute volleys, and reeled off the next two games to add a second set to his reap.

By no means discouraged, Collaco began the third set brilliantly with fast returns of service to win the first game. This he followed by winning the second with his forehand working at its best. Carson served to take the third game. But a bad patch in the next frame gave the Portuguese player a breathing space and the confidence he wanted. Collaco started hitting on his own account to outshine Carson in the rallies. The latter made a special effort to catch up after trailing by 3-1 but if availed him nothing. Collaco was not in the least bothered by his opponent's endeavour and proceeded to bang the ball into the corners and frequently follow it up in the approved fashion for the resultant kill to win at 6-1 and stretch the match into the fourth set.

Final Set

A ten minutes rest followed. Carson was no longer hard pressed and, after breaking Collaco's service in the opening game, the ultimate winner supplemented his baseline play with timely volleying and went ahead to lead by 3-0. Carson was now literally safe and some cannon balls gave him a love game. Thenceforward the title-holder was the master craftsman and finished off with a love set.

After the conclusion, Mr. A. H. George, Vice-President of the S.L.T.A., presented the singles trophy to Carson and the doubles trophies to Poker Tong and H. K. F. Li. The winners were heartily congratulated by Mr. George for their performances in the series.

Sinclair Knocks Up Century for Club

Race Club Defeated by Five Wickets; Excellent Bowling by Leach

The Shanghai Race Club lost their annual cricket match to the S.C.C. yesterday afternoon on the S.C.C. ground by five wickets in a fairly interesting game. "Archie" Sinclair hit up a sparkling 101 against some very mediocre bowling by the Race Club, while Leach was very effective in the attack, taking 6 wickets for 43.

Pote-Hunt and Dunkley opened the innings for the Race Club at 12.10 p.m. against the attack of Graham and Lingard. Consistent bowling kept the scoring down to a minimum and Dunkley was the first to go being clean bowled by Lingard when the score read 22. Divecha and Pote-Hunt then became associated with the latter forcing the pace.

Leach took over from Graham and was successful in getting Pote-Hunt's wicket after this batsman had scored a useful 26. Marshall joined Divecha, but Duckitt who had replaced Lingard at the other end broke through the former's guard when he had only hit a single run. Duckitt incidentally, in one or two of his previous overs, had placed his field in rather an unusual manner by having all the fielders on the off. He did not achieve much success in this way, but it must be mentioned that at least one chance was missed in the slips through this placement.

Play was adjourned for tiffin at 1.15 p.m. and suffice it to say that the lunch was a success in that play did not resume until 2.45!

Divecha continued to play a stolid game upon the resumption, and after A. G. White and Arnhold had both failed to stand up to some good bowling by Leach, A. A. White partnered Divecha and proceeded to show little respect for the bowling by hitting out in his usual aggressive style. Divecha was then smartly stumped when going out to one from Leach, having contributed a patient 36 consisting mostly of singles. A. A. White continued to bat freely, but was undeniably lucky and barely deserved an otherwise extremely useful 36 runs. The innings eventually came to a close at 3.50 p.m. the Race Club having scored 148 all out. Leach bowled well for the S.C.C. and was responsible for six valuable wickets.

S.R.C. Lack Bowlers

With few bowlers on the Race Club side capable of taking say the first six wickets on the opposing team, the S.C.C. held a distinct advantage when they went out to bat at 4 p.m. The first wicket fell rather cheaply when Thomson was neatly taken behind the wicket off Divecha. Deane hit out at anything pitched up too far and got a nice six off Arnhold. Geere and Duckitt both fell victims to Divecha's wiles and it was not until Sinclair took his place at the crease that the score began to increase at an amazing speed.

The 100 went up at 5.18 the previous fifty having taken only 21 minutes. Deane attempting another big hit was bowled by Marshall when he was three short of his fifty. Leach did not stay long, and Graham joined Sinclair. The latter notwithstanding some poor bowling was scoring at a prolific rate and the 150 went up exactly 20 minutes after the century. The game had been won, but Sinclair was allowed to complete his century before stumps were drawn.

Race Club

J. Pote-Hunt, b. Leach	26
G. S. Dunkley, b. Lingard	12
M. J. Divecha, st. Sinclair, b. Leach	36
F. Marshall, b. Duckitt	1
A. G. White, c. Sinclair, b. Leach	6
C. H. Arnhold, b. Leach	0
A. A. White, b. Graham	36
W. H. Lydall, b. Thomson	8
E. B. Cumine, c. Deane, b. Leach	9
L. C. Kew, c. Tingle, b. Leach	0
Extras	5
Total	148

Fall of wickets:—1 for 22, 2 for 56, 3 for 57, 4 for 66, 5 for 97, 6 for 97, 7 for 126, 8 for 136, 9 for 148, 10 for 148.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Graham	6	0	32	1
Lingard	6	0	28	1
Leach	10.6	0	43	6
Duckitt	9	0	31	1
Thomson	1	0	9	1

S.C.C. XI

A. V. T. Deane, b. Marshall	47
C. E. M. Thomson, c. Dunkley, b. Divecha	5
E. P. Geere, b. Divecha	4
E. R. Duckitt, c. Cumine, b. Divecha	5
A. C. Sinclair, c. Lydall, b. White	101
D. W. Leach, c. and b. Arnhold	6
A. Graham, b. Divecha	18
W. E. Tingle, c. Sub. b. Divecha	1
A. Lingard, not out	0
D. McCullum and Brig. Gen. E. B. Macnaghten, did not bat	—
Extras	4
Total for 8 wickets	191

Fall of wickets:—1 for 16, 2 for 30, 3 for 44, 4 for 93, 5 for 106, 6 for 184, 7 for 186, 8 for 191.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Arnhold	6	1	46	1
Divecha	12	1	75	5
Gardener	3	1	10	1
Cumine	2	0	12	0
Dunkley	2	0	14	0
Marshall	2	0	17	1
White	1.2	0	13	1

Olympic Games Opening Date Fixed

Brussels, Sept. 4.

That the Olympic summer games to be held in Helsinki will begin on Saturday, July 20, 1940, was definitely decided by the International Olympic Committee that met here yesterday. The summer games will continue till August 4.—Trans-Ocean.

Durhams All Out For 19!

The Durhams "C" Cricket XI in a friendly game against the Parsees yesterday afternoon on the latter's ground, were all bowled out for the incredible score of 19! Shroff, Viccajee and Karanjia all returned amazing analyses' and in all the Parsees required only nine overs in which to dismiss their opponents. The Parsees had no difficulty in surpassing this total after losing one wicket.

Durham "C"

Pte. Clarke, l.b.w., b. R. R. Shroff	3
L/Cpl. Webb, b. Viccajee	0
Pte. Hoey, c. S. Karanjia, b. Viccajee	0
Pte. Iley, l.b.w., b. R. F. Shroff	1
Boy Kemp, b. Viccajee	1
Pte. Arnold, c. J. Tata	0
Pte. Smith, b. R. F. Shroff	0
R.S.M. Bush, not out	9
L/Cpl. Giles, c. and b. J. B. Tata	0
Pte. Barnes, b. H. Karansia	6
L/Cpl. Brown, c. Tata, b. H. Karansia	0
Total	19

Fall of wickets:—1/2 (Webb), 2/2 (Hoey), 3/3 (Iley), 4/4 (Kemp), 5/4 (Clarke), 6/4 (Arnold), 7/6 (Giles), 9/19 (Barnes), 10/19 (Brown).

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
H. F. Shroff	4	2	3	3
Viccajee	3	0	3	4
J. Tata	1	0	10	1
H. P. Karanjia	1	0	3	2

Parsees

P. B. Tata, c. Clarke, b. Hoey	27
B. R. Voccajee, b. Arnold	6
P. R. Regi, run out	6
P. R. Kerman, run out	12
K. F. Shroff, c. Brown, b. Hoey	0
J. B. Tata, c. Brown, b. Arnold	0
S. B. Tata, c. Iley, b. Arnold	5
H. P. Karanji, c. Bush, b. Hoey	0
R. F. Shroff, not out	18
S. P. Karanjia, b. Bush	10
N. M. Mehta, b. Bush	6
Extras	4
Total	94

Fall of wickets:—1/9 (Viccajee), 2/23 (Ragi), 3/43 (Kermani), 4/43 (K. Shroff), 5/57 (J. Tata), 6/59 (P. Tata), 7/59 (H. Karanjia), 8/67 (S. Tata), 9/86 (S. Karanjia), 10/94 (N. M. Mehta).

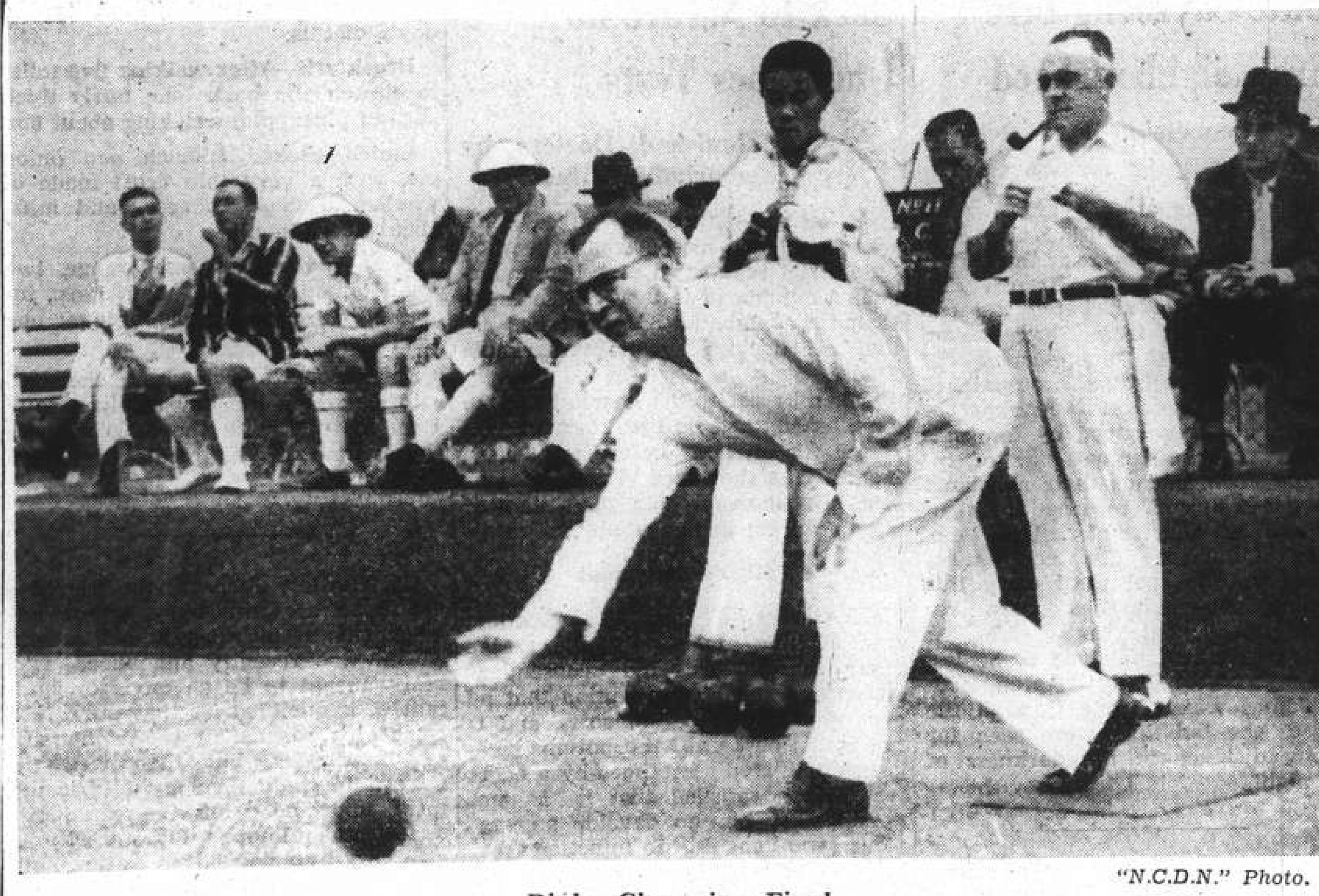
BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Arnold	11	0	26	3
Barnes	2	0	18	0
Hoey	7	0	38	3
Bush	6.8	0	8	2

Mrs. Fletcher Advances In Tennis Title Play

Mrs. R. Fletcher passed into the second round of the ladies singles championship as she eliminated Miss Mimie Ouei on the S.L.T.A. court yesterday afternoon. The match ended with a score of 6-8, 6-0, 6-1 in which the Chinese put up a sterling fight in the opening set.

The victor held two set points in the eighth game but could not run them off. In the tenth game the winner was again given two chances of finishing the set. She once more failed in her effort. The Chinese girl worked sturdily and her stroking resulted in the winning of several vital points at crucial moments.



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Rinks Champion Final

L. J. Davies, the Country Club's No. 3, in action during yesterday's game on the Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club's greens. F. G. Harrison, the C. C.'s No. 2 is seen behind the bowler.

Rinks Championship Captured By Country Club

Recs' Combination Defeated by Narrow Margin in Final; Result Said Unexpected

THE Shanghai Lawn Bowls Association Rinks championship for the season was decided yesterday afternoon on the greens of the Lawn Bowls Club when I. A. Beith (skip), L. J. Davies, F. G. Harrison and M. Hendry of the Country Club produced something of a surprise by defeating T. G. Main (skip), G. V. Jensen, R. Manley and R. J. S. Brandt, the Recs combination, in the final by the narrow margin of 17 shots to 14. This is the second time that the Championship has gone into the hands of a C.C. rink, the last being in 1934, and the hope was expressed that this latest victory might give a fillip to Country Club lawn bowls and encourage a larger number of members to take a more active interest in the game.

As the score indicates, the game was close throughout. On the victor's side credit must be given to Hendry for the sterling game he played as lead and also to the excellent work of Harrison. On the other side of the fence it must be admitted that Main did not get the support from his number 1 and number 2 which he might have expected and it was left to himself and Jensen to do most of the fighting.

Main took the first end with a single which the Country Club followed with a 1, a 2 and another 1. At the fifth. Beith was lying 2 when Main, with his last shot extricated himself by burning the end but in the reply Beith took a single, bringing the score to 5-1 in his favour.

The Recs then took matters in hand and put themselves in the lead with a 2, single and a 4, the largest score of the afternoon's play. From this stage a ding-dong game ensued, the Country Club not drawing level until the 16th end when 12 shots all were registered, made possible by a 3 on the part of Beith. Each side added a single when Beith scored another 3 making 16 shots to 13 at the close of the 19th. This Main followed with a 1 but Beith concluded matters with a single which gave him 17 shots to 14 and game.

This final was played under perfect conditions before a large number of spectators whose interest was kept up to a high level by the closeness of the play.

BEITH'S RINK	END	MAIN'S RINK
0	1	1
1	2	1
3	3	1
4	4	1
5	5	1
5	6	3
5	7	4
5	8	8
6	9	8
7	10	8
7	11	9
8	12	9
8	13	10
9	14	10
9	15	12
12	16	12
12	17	13
13	18	13
16	19	13
16	20	14
17	21	14

H.M.S. Suffolk Go Down Before Recs XI

Gomes, Hart-Baker Make Good 1st Wicket Stand

H.M.S. Suffolk suffered their second defeat in two days when they lost to a strong Recs XI on the latter's ground yesterday afternoon. The Navy again lacked any potential strength in the attack while "Torry" Wilson was in good form with the ball for the Recs, the latter winning easily by 81 runs.

The Recs began their innings well with a useful first wicket stand producing 60 runs. Gomes hit 10 fours in his innings of 56 while Hart-Baker contributed 21. Quincey and P. Madar were the next pair to make an excellent stand, both batsmen batting well with the latter predominantly good. Apart from these outstanding efforts the remainder of the team did not impress, Mid. Wilson accounting for five wickets with some slow break bowling. The innings terminated with the satisfactory score of 224, declared.

The Navy likewise began their innings well, but only Mid. Wilson and Pay Lt. Spittle scored worthwhile figures the team on the whole being otherwise decidedly weak.

A S.R.C. XI

N. Hart-Baker, b. Barker	21
A. F. Gomes, c. Smailes, b. Welch	56
H. P. Madar, l.b.w. Wilson	5
L. P. Quincey, l.b.w. Barker	44
P. Madar, not out	56
F. R. Kermani, c. and b. Wilson	8
S. F. Shroff, b. Wilson	10
T. W. R. Wilson, b. Wilson	6
J. Leriou, c. Welch, b. Wilson	1
A. W. Pettit, not out	8
F. F. Kellner, did not bat	—
Extras	9
For 8 wickets declared	224

Fall of wickets:—1 for 60, 2 for 67, 3 for 97, 4 for 150, 5 for 163, 6 for 163, 7 for 177, 8 for 191, 9 for 197.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Reading	4	0	34	0
Smailes	9	0	45	0
Barker	10	2	37	2
Wilson	7	0	55	5
Belcher	2	0	23	0
Welch	1	0	5	1
Fletcher	2	0	16	0

H.M.S. Suffolk

Pay Sub. Lt. Sutherland, c. Leriou, b. Shroff	25
Surg. Lt. Fletcher, c. Leriou, b. Wilson	22
Mid. Wilson, c. P. Madar, b. Wilson	32
E. R. A. Smailes, c. and b. Wilson	3
Comdr. Smith, c. Shroff, b. Wilson	6
Marine Belcher, c. Hart-Baker, b. Shroff	0
Lt. Comdr. Penton, st. Leriou, b. Hart-Baker	2
Pay Lt. Spittle, b. Hart-Baker	31
E. C. Welch, b. Hart-Baker	8
P. O. Barker, not out	0
E. A. Reading, l.b.w. Hart-Baker	0
Extras	14
Total	143

Fall of wickets:—1 for 42, 2 for 67, 3 for 89, 4 for 95, 5 for 95, 6 for 96, 7 for 111, 8 for 142, 9 for 143, 10 for 143.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Pettit	5	0	40	0
Kellner	4	0	16	1
Madar	2	0	9	0
Wilson	6	0	33	4
Shroff	6	0	22	2
Hart-Baker	3.4	0	8	4
Kermani	1	0	1	0

Cathay Cup Polo Games Continue at Hungjao

The Cathay Cup made further progress yesterday afternoon when the remaining three matches of the first round were played in Hungjao. A good crowd turned out and were treated to some good, if not brilliant, polo. The first match, which was between Kwantung and Chekiang, resulted in a win for Chekiang (W. H. Allman, Crosthwaite, Hogaboom and N. F. Allman) who defeated Kwantung (Fox Davies, Browne, Riggio and E. B. Moller) by six goals to three after a mediocre game. Kwangtung conceded two goals handicap as J. H. Taylor, who was recently injured being kicked by a pony, was not able to play and was replaced by E. H. Browne.

Kiangsu (Telfer Smollett, A. A. White, Krikoriantz and Elles) took the measure of Szechuen (Fanning Evans, Krulak, R. B. Moller and Luard) in the second match and won by six goals to four after a good and fairly fast game.

All the players were in form and played well and for the winners Telfer-Smollett and Krikoriantz were the best while R. B. Moller and Luard put in a lot of good work for Chekiang. W. J. Keswick was in great form yesterday when he played an excellent game for Shantung (Biema, Clark, W. J. Keswick and Humphreys) to defeat Shansi (Dr. Johnston, Collingwood, Heyn and Lacks) by five goals to four and scoring the majority of goals for his side.

Dyeing Golf Greens Green

Washington,

American golf courses are being "dyed" to keep them green. Golfers complained that some insecticides used on the greens turned them brown, creating a "mental hazard" which put them off their game.—Reuter.

First Football Match Of Local Season

Saints Outplay Aurora To Win Seven-One

A strong forward line that constantly kept the ball within scoring distance of the Aurora goal netted the St. Francis Xavier a 7-1 victory over the French university in the first soccer match of the season, played at the Canidrome yesterday morning. A friendly match between the two first-league teams, only a few enthusiasts, not more than 300, turned out to witness the game.

Play was quite interesting during the first period, the opening twenty minutes being especially good. Aurora drew first blood in the eighth minute through their inside-right, C. M. Ling. The Saints were slow to start. It took them twenty minutes to get warmed up when Freddie Foyn received a fine pass from Karolich and netted. Chang, the goalie, came out to stop the ball but Foyn eluded him completely and kicked into an open goal.

A few minutes later Paterson, inside-left, garnered the second goal for the Saints. Foyn was robbed of a sitter by Tsiang, the fullback, and the ball went out. After the resultant goal-kick, M. Greenberg passed to Paterson, who dribbled up and shot a hard one into the top corner of the net.

Ten minutes from half-time Paterson tallied his second goal from a perfect corner taken by Foyn. The ball soared over a bunch of players in the goal-mouth for the inside-left to counter, giving Chang no chance to save. The Aurora team put up a desperate fight but the forwards were too slow to cope with the defensive play of Stangard and Borodin. Three minutes to the rest period Foyn evened Paterson's performance by tallying a long shot about twenty yards out.

Upon the resumption the Saints continued to press. Foyn scored in the fifth minute but the point was disallowed as Edwards had violated the off-side rule. Later the fleet-footed outside-right succeeded in registering his third goal when his angular shot hit the post and deflected into the net. The Saints missed a penalty kick in the middle of the session when Stangard kicked the ball against the crossbar.

A few minutes later the winners gained their seventh and final goal from the right wing position again. In the closing minutes the losers tried yet another rally. Poor footwork among the forwards, however, prevented them from making any headway.

English Heavyweight Battle Postponed

Jack Doyle Injures Ribs In Training

London, Sept. 6.

The heavyweight battle between Jack Doyle, the Irish boxer, and Eddie Phillips, the boxing bus-driver, scheduled for September 13, has been postponed until September 27.

Doyle has injured his ribs in training.

The fight, which is in the nature of an elimination bout to decide a challenger for Tommy Farr's British and Empire titles, will take place at the Harringay Stadium.

Although he has not appeared in the ring since 1934, Doyle is confident of victory.

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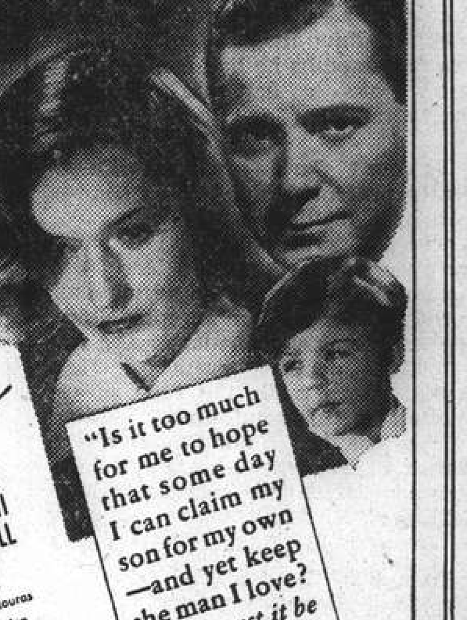

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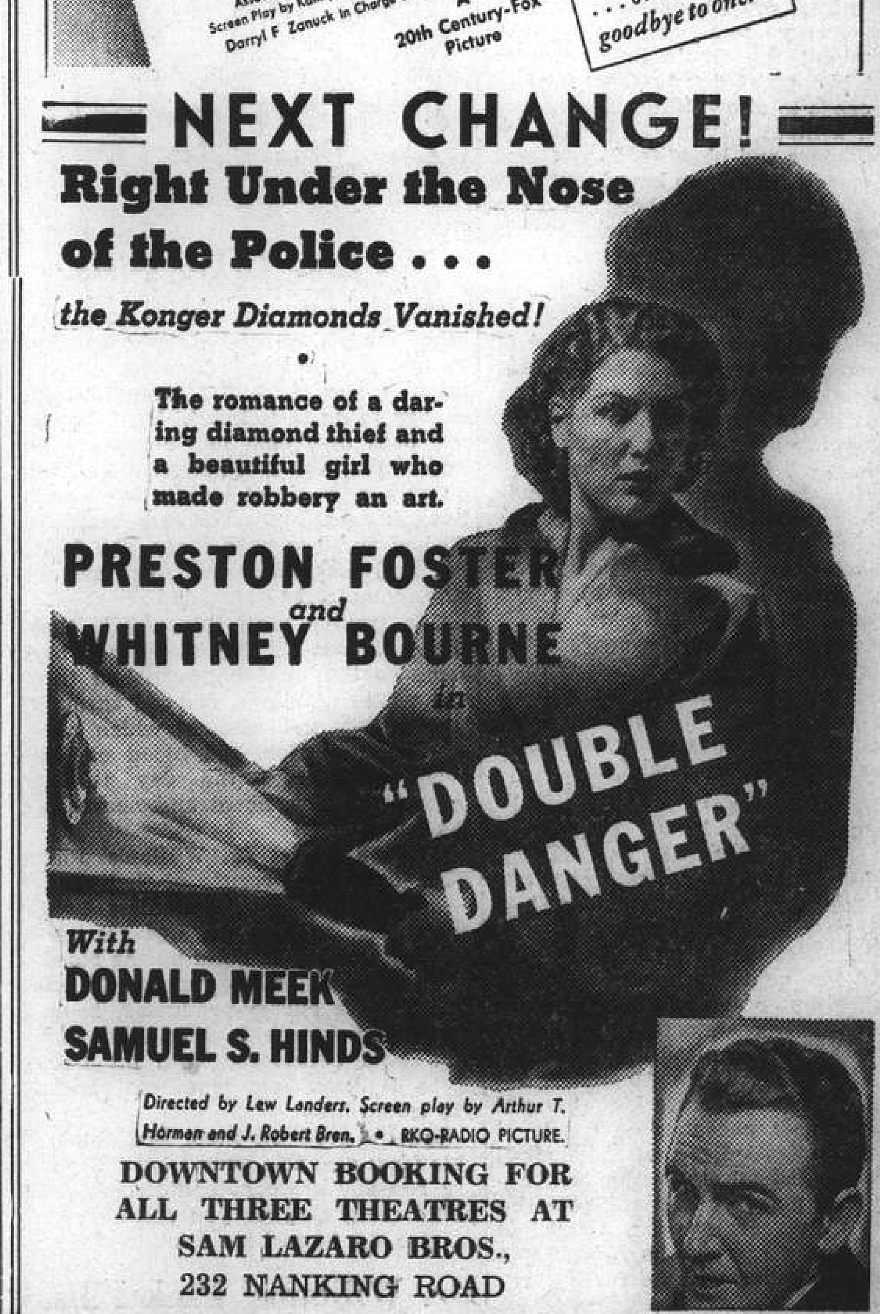

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First Battalion Take City League Baseball Title

Amateurs Shellacked to Make 1938 Championship Mathematical Certainty; Orzech's Victory

GIVING the Shanghai Amateurs a trimming by a score of 9-6, the First Battalion captured the 1938 Shanghai Baseball League championship yesterday afternoon at the Race Course before a big crowd of spectators, who went out to see what the civilians could do in the way of checking the First nine from becoming mathematically certain of finishing on top of the year's series.

Two hectic innings in which the victorious Marines collected eight bingles caused the Amateurs to become victims of a three-run margin at the end of the ninth frame. The service team hit away four times in the first stanza and repeated the performance in the fifth to garner seven runs, three in the first and four the next.

Derby Ross, coach of the winning side, used two pitchers to outscore the civilians. Buzz Lindsey started off and walked off the mound in the early part of the eighth frame in favour of Lefty Orzech. Lindsey lost his control in the sixth session when he gave away three hits which accounted for as many runs. He yielded two more in the eighth and then quit. Orzech allowed one bingle in the one and two-third innings he worked.

The Amateurs encountered bad luck in the opening round. Grow led off with a ground shot through the pitcher's box and stole second. Ashley drove one over Huebner's head into centre-field and chased Grow home. The batter reached second on Bernard's throw-in. Orzech doubled into deep right-field where Schoberg missed the fly. As a result, Ashley trotted to the plate. Caldwell clouted a high shot into right. This time Schoberg caught the ball but he could not throw Orzech out at home, thereby giving the Marines a three-run lead.

Long Home Run

In the second inning Lindsey delighted the Marine supporters as he lammed out a long fly between centre and right. The ball travelled across the Parsees Cricket grounds for a home run.

Not to be outdone, Schoberg took the measure of Lindsey's delivery and socked the second four-bagger toward the Shanghai Cricket Club, which incidently opened the civilians' scoring.

The leaders' big inning came in the fifth. The barrage began with King rapping out the day's third home run with a terrific wallop into right-field. Ashley singled, stole second and reached third on Orzech's low shot between first and second. Caldwell bingled over Shortstop Lamneck's head to score Ashley. A passed ball by Riley sank the Amateurs for both runners came home on it and increased the score to 8-1.

Amateurs Strike Back

The next inning saw the Amateurs come up with a rally. Lindsey fell off and gave Lamneck and Krause a hit each. Bernard got more than that. He belted a triple into Ashley's territory and cleared the bags. Deegan sacrificed to send Bernard in.

Leftfielder Ashley wound up a perfect day by making his fourth hit in as many trips to the plate. This time he doubled to where Schoberg was. He moved to third on Orzech's fly and tallied as Caldwell followed suit.

Then came the blow which knocked Lindsey out of the box in the eighth frame. Jim Ward hit away with a bingle to centre-field. He was followed by Lamneck, who timed his swing so well that he drove out a line drive along third-base. The ball bounced back from the Shanghai Golf Club building and robbed the civilian shortstop of a home run. Orzech came in and staved off the threat, thereby winning the game and also the championship.

The First Battalion have one more tussle to play on Tuesday against the U.S.S. Asheville. The outcome of that game will not affect the final standings which read as follows:—

Final Standing

	P.	W.	L.	P'ct.
First Battalion	15	13	2	.867
Second Battalion	16	12	4	.750
Headquarters	16	8	8	.500
Amateurs	16	6	10	.313
U.S.S. Asheville	15	1	14	.067

Amateurs

	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Huebner, p.	4	0	0	0	2	0
Riley, c.	4	0	1	6	1	0
J. Ward, 2b.	3	1	1	0	1	0
Lamneck, ss.	4	2	2	1	0	0
Krause, 3b.	3	1	1	1	3	0
Bernard, lf.	4	1	1	1	0	0
Deegan, cf.	4	0	3	3	0	0
Fielden, 1b.	4	0	0	7	0	1
Schoberg, rf.	4	1	1	5	0	0
	30	6	10	24	7	1

First Battalion

Grow, 3b.	4	1	1	1	3	0
King, 1b.	4	1	1	10	0	0
Ashley, lf.	4	3	4	2	0	0
Olsen, rf.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Orzech, cf., p.	4	2	2	1	0	0
Caldwell, c.	4	1	2	7	1	0
Goush, 2b.	4	0	0	4	4	0
Rad, ss.	4	0	0	2	5	1
Lindsey, p.	3	1	1	0	0	0
Sharpless, cf.	1	0	0	0	0	0
	36	9	11	27	13	1

SCORE BY INNINGS

Amateurs	0 0 1 0 0 3 0 2 0	—6
1st Bn.	3 1 0 0 4 0 1 0 x	—9

Earned runs by Amateurs 4, 1st Battalion 4; Two base hits by Orzech 1, Deegan 1; Three base hits by Bernard 1, Lamneck 1; Home runs by Lindsey 1, Schoberg 1, King 1; Stolen bases by Riley 1, Grow 1, Ashley 1, Orzech 1; Sacrifice hits by Deegan 1; Runs batted in by Lamneck 1, Krause 1, Bernard 1, Deegan 1, Schoberg 1, King 1, Ashley 1, Orzech 2, Caldwell 2, Lindsey 1; Winning pitcher, Lindsey; Losing pitcher, Huebner; First on balls off Lindsey 3; Struck out by Lindsey 3, Orzech 3, Huebner 6; Left on bases by Amateurs 4, 1st Battalion 3; Double plays by Rad-Goush-King; Wild pitches by Orzech 1; Passed balls by Riley 2, Caldwell 2; Hit by pitcher, Huebner.

Time of Game:—1 hour and 45 minutes.

Umpires:—Morang (plate) and Rose (bases).

Reds Gain on Cubs With 9-1 Win

Pirates Maintain Pace at Top of League; McCormick Gets Five Hits

New York, Sept. 10.

Registering at least one hit in every inning except the ninth, the Cincinnati Reds swamped the Chicago Cubs today by a score of 9-1 to gain a full game on the cubs and maintain pace with the New York Giants in the battle for second place in the National League.

Frank McCormick was the hero of the day for the Reds, scoring a double and four singles in five trips to the plate. Wallie Berger homered for the Reds, while Rip Collins replied for the Cubs.

The New York Giants climaxed a batting spree by scoring seven runs in the eighth inning to rout the Brooklyn Dodgers 20-2. Alex Kampouris connected for three timely singles to drive in five men, while Joe Moore blasted out a homer with the bases full.

The Pittsburgh Pirates maintained pace with the Giants and Reds by trimming the St. Louis Cardinals 14-7. The Bucs scored three in the sixth to tie the score of 7-7, and then went on to lay down a barrage in the eighth inning which drove three pitchers to the showers and scored eight runs on seven hits and an error. Lee Handley was a big gun by clouting a triple with the bags saturated.

Yanks Trounce Senators

Four runs in the fifth inning enabled the Boston Bees to defeat the Philadelphia Phillies, 6-5. Ted Hitchcock with three singles, drove in two runs.

In the American League, the New York Yankees continued to play in luck trouncing the Washington Senators by a score of 6-5, although they were again outhit, this time by a margin of 11-6. A three run rally in the seventh, including Joe DiMaggio's 30th homer of the season, was what won for the Ruppert Rifles.

The Cleveland Indians fell sixteen games behind the leaders by losing to the St. Louis Browns, 4-2. Bell's double followed by a single by Ralph Kress won for the Browns.

The Philadelphia Athletics defeated the Boston Red Sox, 15-7, to aid the Tribe in keeping on even terms with the Beantowners. The Macks won on six runs in the second inning, which established a lead that even a home run barrage could not eradicate.

Sam Chapman led the attack for the Mackmen with a home run, double and two singles, which, coupled with a home run by Bob Johnson, more than made up for Jimmy Foxx's 43rd and 44th homers of the season and circuit blows by Bobby Doerr and Joe Vosmik.

Scores:

National League

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	6	10	0
Philadelphia	5	14	0
Batteries: Errickson, Shoffner, Lanning and Lopez; Hollingsworth, Smith, Passeau and Davis.			
Cincinnati	9	15	0
Chicago	1	4	4
Batteries: Walters and Lombardi; Root, Carleton, Dean and O'Dea.			
Brooklyn	2	4	2
New York	20	22	0
Batteries: Frankhouse, Rogers, Posedel and Campbell; Melton and Danning.			
Pittsburgh	14	16	1
St. Louis	7	7	1
Batteries: Bauers, Swift, Brown and Todd; McGee, Macon, Harrell, Weiland, Shoun and Bremer.			

American League

Philadelphia	15	19	0
Boston	7	10	1
Batteries: Nelson and Wagner; Ostermueller, Dickman, McKain, Olson and Desautels.			
St. Louis	4	12	0
Cleveland	2	6	0
Batteries: Newsom and Heath; Milner and Hemsley.			
New York	6	6	1
Washington	5	11	0
Batteries: Pearson and Dickey; Montegudo and Giuliani.			
Chicago-Detroit rained out.			

Team Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	77	53	.592
Chicago	74	59	.556
New York	73	60	.549
Cincinnati	73	60	.549
Boston	66	65	.504
St. Louis	63	71	.470
Brooklyn	60	72	.455
Philadelphia	42	88	.323

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York	92	41	.692
Boston	75	56	.573
Cleveland	75	56	.573
Detroit	67	64	.511
Washington	65	69	.485
Chicago	53	69	.434
St. Louis	46	81	.362
Philadelphia	47	84	.359

—United Press.

Youngsters Again Beat Their Elders

The second game between the Oldsters and the Youngsters at the Race Course yesterday resulted in another victory for the young team by a score of 13-10.

John Schoberg hit a home run. The "Babies" ran out six runs in the first three innings before the Oldsters retaliated. In the sixth frame the leaders put the game on ice by chalking up a row of half a dozen runs. The old men staged a belated rally but the odds were too great for them to overcome.

Jim Ward and Brown pitched for the winners in the first three innings and the rest of the game was twirled by Joe Morang. For the losers, Buck Buckoway hoisted the mound flag.

SCORE BY INNINGS

Oldsters	0 0 0 3 3 4 0	—10
Youngsters	2 2 2 1 6 0 x	—13

Home Rugby Results

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Sept. 11.

The following are the results of Rugby Union matches played yesterday afternoon:

Bath 6, Lianelly 11
Bedford 40, Old Edwardians 3
Bradford 26, Manchester 15
Bristol 9, Swansea 15
Cardiff 3, Bridgend 4
Coventry 17, Rugby 3
Gloucester 18, Lydney 5
Leicester 3, Headingley 3
Neath 16, Weston-super-Mare 3
Newport 19, Pill Harriers 5
Northampton 0, Waterloo 3
Plymouth Albion 26, Barnstaple 0
Torquay Athletic 4, Redruth 3
Pontypool 11, Pontypridd 0.—Reuter.

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

Lamneck Triples for Amateurs

Slapping the ball far and wide for a three-base hit, Lamneck, the Amateur shortstop, is seen reaching third base safely while Grow tries to put him out. The blow sent Lindsay off the mound to be replaced by Orzech, the First Battalion's most reliable pitcher. The Marines won the game and with it the City League baseball championship for 1938.

Last Minute Rally Wins for Britain

South Africa Ahead with Only Few Minutes to Play In Rugger International

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Capetown, Sept. 11.

Staging a thrilling eleventh-hour rally, Great Britain defeated South Africa here yesterday in the final Rugby International by 21 points (a goal, a penalty, a drop goal and three tries) to 16 (two goals, a penalty and a try).

The Springboks, who had won the previous games, led at half time by 13 points to three.

The British tourists were deserving winners of one of the fastest, most open and most exciting international matches seen in South Africa.

For the first time during the tour the British were really successful in scrums, while their forwards gave a grand display in the loose.

The South Africans led by 16 points to 14 six minutes from the end, but in a desperate rally the tourists scored seven points to clinch matters.

Grieve started by dropping a goal from a distance of 40 yards and then Duff made matters certain by scoring a try.—Reuter.

Canidrome Results

1—440 yd. flat.—1, Jacqueline; 2, Red Terror.
Also ran:—Sam Holer, Poppyland II, Modern Wave, High Brow.
Short head.—Time, 27.01.
Win, $20.50. Forecast (4-3) Div. $141.90.
Place, 1st $13.50; 2nd $12.80.

2—500 yd. flat.—1, Skedaddle; 2, Ah Liang.
Also ran:—Sandals, Princeton, Marble King, Dah Chong.
4 lengths.—Time, 31.98.
Win, $13.50. Forecast (4-6) Div. $65.60.
Double Event 1/2 (4-4) Div. $29.00.
Place, 1st $8.20; 2nd $13.10.

3—500 yd. flat.—1, Movie Star; 2, Double Ten.
Also ran:—Betty, Barmaid, Moody Mask, Vanity Fair.
1 length.—Time, 30.94.
Win, $34.20. Forecast (5-4) Div. $218.90.
Double Event 2/3 (4-5) Div. $32.80.
Place, 1st $12.10; 2nd $15.20.

4—500 yd. flat.—1, Go By; 2, Triumph.
Also ran:—Speed Cop, Diane, Rita Jack, Fairy Bells.
8 lengths.—Time, 30.70.
Win, $23.50. Forecast (3-4) Div. $156.10.
Double Event 3/4 (5-3) Dib. $84.50.
Place, 1st $10.90; 2nd $14.50.

5—500 yd. flat.—1, Outlaw! 2, Banque Eve.
Also ran:—Beau Ideal, Distinction, O'Branagan, Five Stars II.
1½ lengths.—Time, 30.90.
Win, $23.30. Forecast (3-4) Div. $90.80.
Double Event 4/5 (3-3) Div. $63.90.
Place, 1st 09.90; 2nd $9.90.

6—500 yd. flat.—1, Rio Queen; 2, Aidyn Wild.
Also ran:—Flying Colleen, D'Artagnan, Outsider, Crummle.
A head.—Time, 30.86.
Win, $37.90. Forecast (2-6) Div. $277.30.
Double Event 5/6 (3-2) Div. $74.00.
Place, 1st $21.60; 2nd $11.60.

7—500 yd. flat.—1, Princess Talgai; 2, Maggie.
Also ran:—Luhai Lily, Advance Guard, Terence, Lady Ruby.
8 lengths.—Time, 30.20.
Win, $27.20. Forecast (4-5) Div. $166.70.
Double Event 6/7 (2-4) Div. $59.60.
Place, 1st $10.30; 2nd $13.90.

8—500 yd. flat.—1, Luhai Lass; 2, Rosie O'Hara.
Also ran:—Maskee Lose, Our Gift, Lady Dale, Madam Talgai.
A neck.—Time, 30.45.
Win, $32.10. Forecast (6-5) Div. $213.20.
Double Event 7/8 (4-6) Div. $178.00.
Place, 1st $18.10; 2nd $17.80.

9—500 yd. flat.—1, Blue Moon; 2, Bethany.
Also ran:—Talgai Junior, Drummer, Sir Sewu, Loughton.
1 length.—Time, 30.42.
Win, $22.40. Forecast (1-5) Div. $107.50.
Double Event 8/9 (6-1) Div. $115.80.
Place, 1st $11.90; 2nd $11.20.

10—500 yd. flat.—1, Gleniffer; 2, Matador.
Also ran:—Nocturne, Chop Chop, Wild Girl, Belle O'New York.
5 lengths.—Time, 29.97.
Win, $15.50. Forecast (3-5) Div. $181.20.
Double Event 9/10 (1-3) Div. $95.40.
Place, 1st $10.70; 2nd $21.60.

11—500 yd. flat.—1, Merry Widow; 2, Nanette.
Also ran:—Shanghai Girl, Shady Maid, Careless Beauty, Chihli Flying Squirrel.
1 length.—Time, 29.94.
Win, $17.80. Forecast (2-3) Div. $65.80.
Double Event 10/11 (3-2) Div. $38.90.
Place, 1st $12.20; 2nd $14.40.

12—525 yd. flat.—1, Ascot Mask; 2, Rockmere.
5 lengths.—Time, 30.98.
Win, $23.20. Forecast (4-5) Div. $161.40.
Double Event 11/12 (2-4) Div. $36.60.
Place, 1st 13.70; 2nd $13.70.

13—525 yd. flat.—1, Good Boy; 2, Whitey.
½ length.—Time, 30.85.
Win, $30.40. Forecast (5-6) Div. $155.70.
Double Event 12/13 (4-5) Div. $49.70.
Place, 1st $10.60; 2nd $10.00.

14—525 yd. flat.—1, The Flying Dutchman; 2, Castlerock.
5 lengths.—Time, 30.82.
Win, $31.10. Forecast (4-5) Div. $80.80.
Double Event 13/14 (5-4) Div. $102.40.
Place, 1st $15.40; 2nd $9.30.

American Football in U.S. Gets Under Way

Whizzer White Big Threat In Professional Game

Detroit, Sept. 10.

A huge crowd turned out at Navin Field here tonight for the first clash of the 1938 National Professional Football League as the home town Detroit Lions clashed in a spectacular battle with the Pittsburg Pirates.

The Lions staged an auspicious beginning by defeating the highly touted Pirates, 16-7.

In the first half the mighty forward wall of the Lions held the fast offensive of the Pirates, built around Whizzer White, completely at bay.

The former Colorado All American, however, shook himself loose in the final period to register long gains on end runs and off tackle cutbacks which had the Lions baffled, and climaxed his efforts with a sixty-five yard gallop to the goal shortly before the final whistle for the Pirates' only score of the game.

He added the extra point with a drop kick a few moments later.

The Lions, however, wasted no time in pounding into the lead. They scored their first tally in the opening period when Father Lumpkin booted the spheroid over the bar for a field goal from the twelve-yard line after three successive smashes at the line had failed to gain.

They followed up with another touchdown in the second quarter, failed to convert the extra point, and were content to play a defensive game, concentrating on White, from then on.—United Press.

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Terrific Tennis Battles in U.S.

Bromwich Pulls Through Marathon Match Against Frank Shields

Forest Hills, N.Y., Sept. 10.

15,000 spectators out for the third round of the National Singles Championship Tournament here today were thrilled by one of the most epic battles in the history of modern tennis when Johnny Bromwich of Australia defeated Frank Shields of America to enter the quarter-finals of the series.

Bromwich won only after a terrific and gruelling struggle with Shields, who had been considered on his way down by sports writers as long as three years ago. The scores of the almost incredible match were 1-6, 10-12, 10-8, 6-2, 6-2.

Shields, in attempting to make a comeback, was at one time within two points of a smashing upset victory over the ambidextrous Australian, whom most tennis experts consider second in the world of tennis today only to Donald Budge himself.

Riggs Beats Shayes

Bobby Riggs, American Davis Cup star, also advanced by beating Donald Shayes of Great Britain, 6-3, 6-3, 4-6, 1-6, 6-4, while Yvon Petra conquered Joseph Fishbach by scores of 6-2, 6-4, 6-3.

Frankie Parker, another U.S. Davis Cup ace, defeated Carlton Rood by scores of 6-2, 6-4, 7-5.

In the second round of the tourney, Kukuljevic of Yugoslavia defeated Jack Surface, 6-1, 6-3, 6-1.

Miss Helen Jacobs dominated the women's share of the day play by winning in convincing style from Marilyn McCrae in two straight sets, 6-1, 6-3. May Sutton Bundy, daughter of a former star, took the measure of Margaret Osborne, 6-2, 6-3, 7-5, while Margot Lumb of Britain defeated Katherine Winthrop 8-6, 6-2. In the final match, Katherine Wynne conquered Anne Page 6-1, 6-3.—United Press.

Sensational Pitcher to Undergo Operation

Cleveland, Sept. 9.

Johnny Allen, sensational Cleveland Indians hurler, may undergo shortly an operation to correct a defective bone in his throwing arm's elbow, it was announced today.

The youthful twirler, who last year won fifteen out of sixteen games, losing the only tilt in the season's final league day, started out like a house on fire this year. He soon lapsed into the doldrums, however, although he continued to head the American League pitchers until a few weeks ago.

Reasons for his sudden failing were blamed on a bone defect in his throwing arm following special X-ray examinations by specialists.—United Press.

Germany Leads Europe Rowing Contests

Close Finishes Seen With Italian Crews

Milan, Sept. 5.

In the European rowing championships held here yesterday when eleven nations competed, Germany emerged in the leading position, winning four victories over Italy in defending the Glandaz Cup won last year.

Never before were the finals in European championships so exciting, the finishes being extremely close. Two races were won by 1/100 of a second, i.e. a lead of seven centimetres, this being the difference in two four-oar and steersman races won by the Germans. The Italians, however, had the satisfaction of winning against the Germans by a similar lead in the pair-oar with cox contest.

In the pair-oar without cox the Germans won a clear victory over the Italians. In the same way the German Hasenoehrl defeated the Fole Varey, European champion.

In the chief race, the eight-oar competition, Germany won after a bitter struggle against Hungary which in the end spurt had won the second place from Italy. A clear double-pair-oar victory was won by Italy with a long lead against Germany, while in the four-oar without cox Switzerland won a surprisingly easy victory over Italy.—Trans-Ocean.

Finland Rushes Plans For 1940 Olympics

Paris, Sept. 2.

M. Lauri Miettinen, Secretary of the Finnish Olympic Committee, announced in a statement to the Press today that the Olympic Stadium in Helsinki will be ready in time for the 1940 Games despite Finland's late agreement to hold the Olympiad.

The main work on the Stadium itself were completed last June, and the huge stands will be capable of holding 60,000 spectators. M. Miettinen declared.

The competing athletes will be housed in a special village to be built six or ten kilometres outside Helsinki itself.

Meanwhile, arrangements have already been made for housing 25,000 visitors in private homes and hotels, the F.O.C. Secretary concluded his statement.—Havas.

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Gentlemen Lose to Players at Home

Australians Make Strong Start in Last Match; 90 Runs by Barnes

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Sept. 11.

The Australians made a good start yesterday in the last match of their tour in England, hitting up 306 at Scarborough against Mr. H. D. G. Leveson Gower's XI.

McCabe contributed 58, Barnes 90 and Waite 77.

Nichols, the Essex all-rounder, claimed six wickets for 113.

When stumps were drawn Mr. Leveson Gower's XI had made 31 without losing a wicket.

After the present match the Australians will journey to Dublin to play the Gentlemen of Ireland.

The match at Scarborough between the Gentlemen and Players, which replaced the scheduled game between Mr. Leveson Gower's XI and the team touring South Africa in the winter, ended in a victory for the professionals by five wickets.

A bold declaration by the captain of the amateurs and some bright hitting by the Players paved the way to the win.

In another post-season match at Folkestone, England, Past and Present, drew with Sir Pelham Warner's XI. Rain interfered with play.

Details of the two matches were:

At Scarborough—Gentlemen 325 (Smailes five for 67) and 233 for six declared. Players 429 (Hardstaff 100) and 153 for five.

At Folkestone—England, Past and Present—256 (Alf Pope six for 70) and 329 for eight declared. Sir Pelham Warner's XI—173 (Wright six for 72) and 39 for no wicket.—Reuter.

Home Soccer Result

In the Third Division (North) of the English Football League on Saturday, Halifax were held to a scoreless draw by Oldham.

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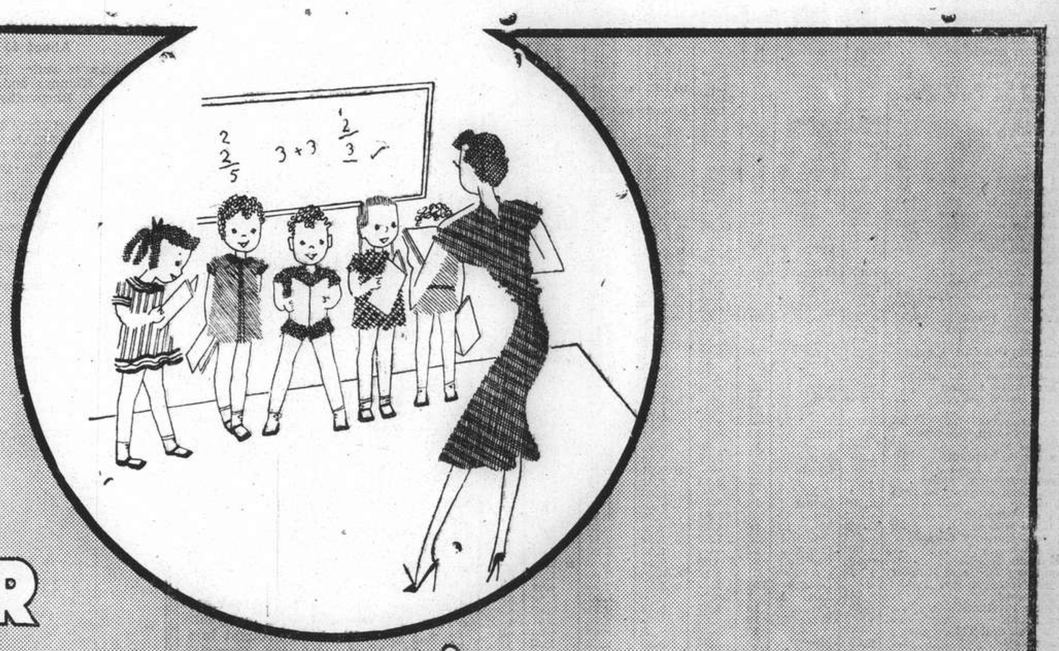
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Money and Exchange

Foreign Money Rates

London: Sept. 10.

Fine Bank Bills,	3 month	0$\frac{21}{32}$%
Bank Bills,	6 months	0⅞%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 months	2¼%
Fine Trade Bills,	6 months	2¾%
Call money		0½%

New York: Closed.—Reuter.

Foreign Exchanges

Bombay Rupee T. T. on: Sept. 10.

Japan	78¾	London	1/5$\frac{57}{64}$
New York	279	2 mths	
Shanghai	50	„ (sellers)	1/5$\frac{57}{64}$
Hongkong	86	„ (buyers)	1/5$\frac{59}{64}$

London £ Sterling T. T. on:

New York	481.12	Shanghai	8¾
Paris	178.31	Bombay	1/5$\frac{31}{32}$
Berlin	12.02	Hongkong	1/3$\frac{1}{32}$
Amsterdam	8.91⅞	Singapore	2/3$\frac{31}{32}$
Brussels	28.60	Yokohama	1/2
Madrid	100.00	„ (buying)	unq.
Milan	91.40	C'Slovakia	139.50
Berne	21.29½		

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

Berlin	40.03½	Japan	28.07
Spain	Unq.	Shanghai	17.18
Holland	53.95	Austria	Unq.
Paris	2.69¾	C'slovakia	3.45⅜
Brussels	16.83	Hungary	19.80
Italy	5.26¼	Rumania	0.74½
S'zerland	22.58	Yugo Slavia	2.32
Sweden	24.81	Greece	0.88⅜
Norway	24.18	Bulgaria	1.25
Denmark	21.47½	Finland	2.13
Montreal	99.625	Poland	18.87
Brazil	5.90		

London	4.81$\frac{1}{16}$
„ Demand	4.81
„ Bankers' 60 days bills	4.80$\frac{19}{32}$
„ Commercial 60 days bills	4.80$\frac{17}{32}$
Buenos Aires, Paper	29.84
„ „ Market Rate	25.25
Montreal on London	4.82$\frac{15}{16}$

—Reuter.

London Money Market

London, Sept. 10.

Current events were being portrayed in Lombard Street during the latter part of the past week. The amount of capital that could be loaned suffered a severe depletion, owing to the large scale conversion of sterling balances into gold, as a result of the European political tension.

Consequently, in the absence of competition, the Government had to pay an average rate of nearly ⅝ths per cent. for the weekly Treasury borrowings.—Reuter.

Bombay Cotton Market

Bombay, Sept. 10.

After the finish of last week end's wave of covering, prices in the Bombay cotton market again sagged, despite an easier sterling exchange.

The outlook for Indian cotton called for little optimism, with the export demand from Lancashire and the Continent negligible, while what little demand emanated from Japan had tapered off and, with domestic mills having five months supply of raw material, buyers were only interested in small lots to cover immediate requirements.

The weather was favourable, while crop reports were satisfactory.—Reuter.

Bombay Silver Stocks

Bombay, Sept. 10.

Stocks of Silver in Bombay on Sept. 10, compared with the two previous weeks:—

Aug. 27 3,000, Sept. 3 2,500, Sept. 10 2,000 Bars.

N.B. The above figures include both English Bar and Indian Mint Silver.—Reuter.

U.S. Commodities

Saturday's Closing Quotations

New York, Sept. 10.

Trading was moderately active in the cotton market, with nervousness over the European situation retarding improvement. Prices early declined on liquidation and hedge-selling, but then recovered a fair trade demand and scattered buying. Finally, the market sagged on further hedge-selling, continuance of October liquidation, while spot house buying of December partially checked the downward movement. At the close, quotations showed losses from 6 to 11 points from yesterday's levels.

Trading was mixed in the Chicago Wheat Pit, with prices early moving lower, but later recovered on better Winnipeg and Liverpool cables and some short covering. At the final bell, quotations were unchanged to ¼ of a cent up.

New York Cotton

Oct.	7.89-90	—07
Dec.	7.93-93	—06
Jan.	7.90 N	—07
Mar.	7.88-88	—07
May	7.83-84	—10
July	7.83-83	—11

Chicago Wheat			Chicago Corn		
Dec.	63¼-63	unc.	Dec.	49⅞-50	—⅛
May	64⅞-64¾	+¼	May	52-52⅛	—⅜

Winnipeg Wheat			Montreal Silver		
Oct.	61⅞-61⅞	+1¾	Sept.	42.00 B	+10
Dec.	61⅞-61⅞	+1¾			

New York Sugar, New York Rubber and New York Silk Markets Closed.—Reuter.

British Commodities

Saturday's Closing Quotations

London, Sept. 10.

The Liverpool wheat market ruled firm on short covering, induced by the International political situation.

London Sugar (buyers) Dec. 5/5¾ +¼; Mar. 5/6½ unc; May 5/7¼ —¼.

Liverpool Wheat: Oct. 4/10¾ +⅞; Dec. 4/9⅜ +⅞; Mar. 4/9⅜ +1.

Liverpool Cotton: American Futures: Oct. 4.59 +3; Jan. 4.67 +3; Mar. 4.70 +3; May 4.72 +3. Egyptian Futures (Giza, F.G.F. No. 7) Sept. 6.69 +9; Oct. 6.69 +9; Nov. 6.69 +9; Jan. 6.93 +8.

London Metals and London Rubber closed.—Reuter.

Better Prices in German Agriculture

Berlin, Sept. 10.

According to reliable estimates, the total proceeds from agricultural sales for 1937/38 shown an increase of 600,000,000 Reichsmarks on the previous year, bringing the aggregate up to 9,500,000,000 Reichsmarks.

This is mainly due to the increase in production which has, however, entailed a rise in production costs so that although the increase in the total proceeds may not necessarily mean bigger profit, from the national economical point of view the rise in home production of foodstuffs is a satisfactory sign.—Trans-Ocean.

Converting Pesos Into U.S. Dollars

Mexico City, Sept. 9.

Local banks today made heavy conversions of pesos into American dollars and old Mexican gold coins as official support through the Bank of Mexico maintained the ratio of five pesos to the dollar. Future sales, however, will be at five and one-eighth to the dollar, it was reported.—United Press.

New York Stocks

Saturday's Closing Quotations

New York, Sept. 10.

Quiet conditions prevailed at the outset on Wall Street today. The market was again influenced by European political news, with most traders keeping to the side lines. However, it is felt that, with the elimination of prevailing uncertainties, domestic business news will again make itself felt in the market. Quotations closed from fractions to about 2 points down, with the turnover amounting to 420,000 shares.

Dow-Jones Summary

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indust.	139.61	137.97	138.29	—1.61
20 Rails	26.77	26.60	26.63	—0.22
15 Utilit.	18.85	18.56	18.60	—0.25
40 Bonds	——	——	87.76	—0.05
11 Commod.	——	——	Unq.	——

	Sept 9	10
Adams Express	10¾	10¾
Alleghany Steel Co.	B 18⅜	17⅝
Allis Chalmers	48⅝	48
Amer. Can	100	B 97
Amer. & For. Power	3⅞	3¼
„ „ $7 pfd.	18	17⅝
Amer. Locomotive	19½	18¾
Amer. Metal	35¾	34
Amer. Radiator	15⅜	15¼
Amer. Rolling Mill	18	17⅝
Amer. Smelting	46	45⅞
Amer. Sugar Refining	22	22¼
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	143½	142⅞
Amer. Tobacco "B"	86	85
Amer. Waterworks	9½	9¼
Anaconda Copper	32¾	32⅝
Atchison, T. & S. Fe.	34⅛	34¼
Auburn	3½	3⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	7⅛	7
„ „ $4 pfd.	8¾	8⅛
Barber Asphalt Corp.	19¼	19¼
Barnsdall Oil Co.	17⅛	17⅛
Bethlehem Steel	57⅛	56⅞
Boeing Airplane Co.	23⅜	23
Borg Warner	33⅛	32½
Briggs Man. Co.	35	34½
Bklyn-Manhattan Trans.	9½	B 9⅜
„ „ $6 cum. pfd.	27½	B 27
Can. Pacific Rly.	6	6
Case, J.I.	86½	85½
Chase Nat. Bank	B 29⅞	B 29⅝
Chesapeake & Ohio	29	28¾
Chrysler	72⅝	72¼
Columbia Gas & Elec.	6½	6⅜
„ „ "A" pfd.	B 66	67
Coml. Credit	48¾	47
Comm. & Southern (ord.)	1⅛	1⅛
„ „ $6 cum. pfd.	35½	B 36¼
Consolid. Edison	25¾	25½
Consolid. Oil	8⅞	8⅞
Continental Can	39½	39
Continental Oil	23½	28½
Corn Products	70	68½
Curtiss Wright (com.)	4⅞	4⅞
„ „ "A"	21⅜	21¼
Distillers Corp.	15¾	15½
Douglas Aircraft	45¾	45⅜
Du Pont de Nemours	131¼	129½
Eagle Picher Lead	10⅝	10¼
Elec. Bond & Sh.	6⅞	6⅞
„ „ $5 pfd.	B 45½	B 45½
„ „ $6 pfd.	52¾	52½
Elec. Power & Lt. 7% pfd.	34	B 33
Flintkote	24⅛	23⅞
Gen. Amer. Trans.	49	48¼
Gen. Electric	41¼	40½
Gen. Motors	46½	46⅛
Gen. Rly. Signal	19½	19⅜
Glidden Co.	21⅝	B 21¾
Goodrich (B.F.)	23⅛	22¾
„ $5 pfd.	B 55½	55
Goodyear Tire & R.	28	27½
Great Nthern. Iron Ore	12½	12
Great Nthern. Rly., pfd.	19¾	19¾
Great Western Sugar	B 27¼	B 27¼
Greyhound Corp.	16	15¾
Hecker Prods.	8	7⅞
Int. Nickel	48¼	48¼
Int. Tel. & Tel.	8⅜	B 8
Kennecott	39¼	39
Libby-Owens-Ford Glass	52¼	50½
Lockheed Aircraft	13¼	13⅛
Loew's Inc.	50	48¾
Macy, R. H.	46½	45½
Manhattan Shirt Co.	12¾B	13
Martin, Glenn L. Co.	21⅛	21
McKesson & Rob. $3 pfd.	B 34	34
Monsanto Chemical	96¼	95½
Montgomery Ward	46¼	46¼
Nat. City Bank	B 23	B 23
Nat. Dairy Prods.	12⅞	12¾
Nat. Distillers	23¾	23⅝
Nat. Power & Lt.	6½	6½
Nat. Supply Co. of Penn.	16¾	17
New York Central	17¾	17½
North Amer. Aviation	8⅞	8¾
North American	19¼	18⅞
Northern Pacific	11¼	11
Pacific Gas & Electric	25⅝	25½
Pacific Lighting	B 36¾	B 36¾
Packard Motors	4⅞	4⅞
Paramount Pictures Inc.	10¾	10½
Pennsylvania R.R.	19½	18⅞
Phillips Petroleum	39	39¼
Public Serv. of N.J.	28¼	28¼
Pure Oil	10⅛	10⅛
Radio Corp. of Amer.	7⅛	7⅛
Republic Steel Co.	17¾	17⅝
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	41¼	40¾
Schenley	17⅜	17¼
„ 5½% pfd.	B 73	B 73½
Sears Roebuck	71	69½
Shell Union Oil	14¼	14¾
Socony-Vacuum	12⅞	13
Sthrn. Pacific	17½	17⅛
Sthrn. Rly. $5 pfd.	17¾	17⅜
Stand. Brands	7⅛	7¼
Stand. Gas & Elec.	3½	3⅜
Stand. Oil of N.J.	53	51¾
Stone. & Webster	9½	9½
Swift International	26½	26¼
Technicolor	20	19¼
Texas Gulf Sulphur	35¾	35¼
Tw. Century Fox Film,	25⅜	25⅜
„ „ pfd.	33⅝	33⅛
Un. Carbide & Carbon	82½	81⅝
Un. Pacific	88	87½
Un. Aircraft (new)	25⅞	26
Un. Airline Trans.	9⅜	9⅛
Un. Corp.	2⅝	2½
„ „ $3 pfd.	31	30¼
Un. Gas Corp.	3⅜	3¼
Un Gas Improvement	10	9⅞
U. S. Rubber	45½	44¾
„ „ 8% pfd.	87½	86¼
U. S. Steel (no par)	58	57¼
Vanadium	18¾	18¼
Warner Bros. Picts.	6⅜	6⅛
Westinghouse Elec.	100½	99½
Woodward Iron	18½	18½

BONDS

Amer. & For. Power 5s	48½	48¾
Brazil	11¾	12
Cities Serv. Pwr. & Lt.	B 61	61
Int. Tel. & Tel. Conv.	100⅛	100¼
Int. Tel. & Tel. 5s 1955	68	65¾
New England Gas & Elec.	B 52¾	B 52¾
Peru 6s 1961	8⅞	8⅞
Stand. Gas & Elec. 6s 1951	50½	50

B—Bid *—Ex Dividend.—Reuter.

Local German Finances

Berlin, Sept. 10.

During the six months from April to September, 1938, the financial liabilities of German communities of over 10,000 inhabitants fell by 201,000,000 Reichsmarks which is 30,000,000 more than during the same period last year. Repayments on loans rose by 20,000,000 Reichsmarks, and liabilities incurred were lower by 11,000,000.

It is worthy to note that repayments to the Communal Reversion Union amounted to 63,000,000 Reichsmarks which is half as much again as during the same period last year, and 26,000,000 more than the estimate.

The load of liabilities and heavy interest payments which threatened to ruin local corporations a few years ago, has gradually been brought to a reasonable level, and the financial outlook of the local governments has greatly improved.—Trans-Ocean.

New York Gold Engagements

New York, Sept. 10.

Gold to the value of $13,500,000 has been engaged today for shipment to New York. The whole of the amount will come from England.—Reuter.

Japan's Foreign Trade

Tokyo, Sept. 11.

Japan's foreign trade in the first 10 days of this month resulted in a favourable balance of Y.10,634,000, the Finance Ministry announced yesterday. Exports were valued at Y.75,124,000 and imports amounted to Y.64,490,000.—Domei.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Statistical Data Concerning Leading Stocks

By courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Name of Stock (No par value excep where indicated)	Par	Dividends: Annual rate $	Dividends: Date of 1st quarterly payment	Book value	Earnings or Deficits: 5 yr Average 1926-30	1934	1936	1937	Yield on basis of price in %
Adams Express		0.40	Irregular	13	—	nil	0.50	0.62	4
Alleghany Steel		0.80†	Omitted	21	—	0.99	2.13	2.10	—
Allis Chalmers		3.25†	Irregular	32	—	D0.51	2.27	4.42	6
American can	25	4	Feb. 15	61	6.29	6.72	5.80	6.08	4
Am. and Foreign Power		—	—	—	1.43	D11.12	D 9.45	D 8.77	nil
Am. and For.P. $7 cum. Pref.		—	—	110	23.49	2.46	5.84	7.11	nil
Am. Locomotive		—	—	12	4.20	D 6.02	D 1.71	4.75	nil
Am. Radiator		0.45†	Omitted	12	1.84	0.11	0.70	0.68	—
Am. Rolling Mill		0.90†	Omitted	33	2.46	0.50	2.25	2.55	—
American Smelting		4.50†	Feb. 28	52	7.27	1.63	6.85	6.54	9
Am. Tel. and Tel.	100	9	Jan. 15	128	1.30	5.96	9.89	9.76	6
Am. Tob. "B"	25	5	Mar. 1	27	6.00	4.46	3.71	5.04	6
Am. Waterworks		—	—	35	2.80	1.03	1.52	1.14	nil
Anaconda Copper	50	1.25†	Omitted	55	4.97	0.22	1.83	3.62	—
Atch., Top. & S. Fe	100	—	—	260	19.16	0.32	1.56	0.60	—
Auburn Automobiles		—	—	28	9.72	D16.21	D 6.67	D20.07	nil
Baltimore and Ohio	100	—	—	126	11.36	D 2.41	0.85	D 1.20	nil
Barber Asphalt	(10)	0.75†	Irregular	32	—	D 0.77	1.14	1.91	4
Barnsdall Oil	5	1	Feb. 1	8	—	D 0.47	1.01	0.85	6
Bethlehem Steel		4†	Irregular	119	7.06	D 1.87	2.09	7.63	7
Boeing Airplane	5	0.40†	Irregular	6	—	D 0.43	0.32	0.45	2
Bklyn. Manh. Tran.		—	—	79	6.78	7.40	0.30	4.09	nil
Canadian Pacific Rly.	25	—	—	40	3.11	D 0.20	0.04	0.30	nil
Case, J. I.	100	6†	Irregular	134	14.53	D 7.38	12.36	13.98	7
Chase Nat. Bank	13.55	1.40	F.A. 1	31	4.04	2.02	2.24	2.03	5
Chesapeake & Ohio.	25	3.45†	Jan. 1	51	5.67	3.67	5.72	4.43	11
Chrysler	5	3.75†	Irregulor	28	4.69	2.19	14.25	11.66	5
Columbia Gas and Electric.		0.25†	Omitted	16	2.08	0.24	0.53	0.57	—
Commercial Solvents		0.30†	Omitted	6	1.20	0.89	0.85	0.60	—
Commonwealth & Southern		—	—	5	0.67	D 0.04	0.13	0.18	nil
Consolidated Edison		2	Mar. 15	52	4.50	2.18	2.33	2.17	8
Consolidated Oil		0.80*	Feb. 15	18	—	D 0.02	1.18	1.48	9*
Continental Oil		1*	Jan. 30	17	0.64	1.03	1.78	2.97	3*
Corn Products	25	3	Jan. 20	34	4.41	3.16	3.86	2.52	4
Distillers Corp. Seagrams		2	Mar. 15	13	nil	0.54	2.42	3.49	12
Douglas Aircraft		—	—	12	1.50	0.08	1.74	1.90	nil
Dupont de Nemours	10	4.50	Mar. 15	36	5.17	3.63	7.54	7.27	3
Eagle Picher Lead	10	0.40	Irregular	13	—	D 0.21	0.74	0.40	4
Electric Bond & Share	5	—	—	27	2.15	0.21	0.17	0.42	nil
Elec. Bond & Share $6 Pref		6	Feb. 1	110	—	6.55	6.42	7.31	11
Flintkote		0.50†	Omitted	13	—	0.80	1.75	1.50	—
General Electric		1.90*	Jan. 25	11	1.81	0.59	1.52	2.21	5
General Motors	10	2.35†	Mar. 12	16	4.83	2.00	5.36	4.38	5
General Railway Signal		0.75†	Omitted	14	7.99	D 1.50	0.17	1.58	—
Glidden		1.30†	Omitted	22	—	1.68	3.29	2.62	—
Goodrich Rubber		0.50†	Omitted	23	2.09	0.41	4.03	D 2.25	—
Goodyear Tire and Rubber		1.75†	Irregular	21	5.12	D 0.66	3.90	1.95	6
Great Northern Ry. Pfd.		2	Irregular	157	9.47	D 0.43	3.99	4.04	10
Greyhound		1.30†	Jan. 1	7	D0.16	0.58	1.50	1.59	8
Hecker Products		0.60	Feb. 1	13	3.58	0.48	0.71	0.89	8
Int. Nickel		2*	Mar. 30	12	0.85	1.13	2.40	3.31	4
Int. Tel. and Tel.		—	—	38	3.45	0.33	0.63	1.60	nil
Kennecott		2.25†	Mar. 30	29	3.67	0.53	2.36	4.60	5
Loew's Inc.		3.50†	Mar. 30	51	6.71	4.50	6.73	8.47	7
Montgomery Ward		1.75†	Apr. 15	28	2.51	1.72	3.63	3.41	4
Nat. City Bank N.Y.	12½	1	F. A. 1	25	4.12	2.00	2.10	2.00	4
Nat. Dairy Products		1.10†	Jan. 2	12	3.58	0.94	2.01	1.53	8
National Distillers		2*	Feb. 1	18	—	5.51	3.81	3.86	8
Nat. Power and Light		0.60	Mar. 1	21	1.74	0.85	0.99	1.36	9
New York Central		—	—	142	12.63	D 1.54	1.79	0.99	nil
North American Co.		1.20*	Jan. 2	22	4.47	1.04	1.74	1.95	6
Pacific Gas and Electric	25	2	Jan. 16	28	2.83	1.52	2.55	2.71	8
Pacific Lighting		3*	Feb. 15	9	2.70	2.72	3.88	4.10	8*
Packard Motors		0.10†	Irregular	3	1.11	D 0.49	0.47	0.20	2
Paramount Pictures	1	—	—	15	—	—	1.18	1.96	nil
Pennsylvania Railroad	50	1.25†	Irregular	89	7.01	1.43	2.94	2.07	6
Phillips Petroleum		2*	Mar. 1	34	3.69	1.38	4.02	5.42	5*
Public Service of N.J.		2.30†	Mar. 30	31	3.15	2.95	2.80	2.61	8
Pure Oil		0.25	Irregular	21	1.77	D 0.97	1.63	2.15	2
Radio Corp.		0.20	Irregular	nil	1.32	D 0.10	0.21	0.41	3
Reynolds Tobacco "B"		3†	Jan. 1	14	3.04	2.15	2.93	2.82	7
Schenley	5	2†	Omitted	26	—	6.64	7.05	5.04	—
Sears Roebuck		5.50†	Mar. 16	40	5.03	3.13	5.60	5.58	8
Socony Vacuum Corp.	15	0.80†	M. S 15	20	—	0.76	1.38	1.82	6
Southern Pacific	100	—	—	196	10.19	0.11	3.84	0.20	nil
Standard Brands		0.60	Jan. 2	4	1.53	1.06	1.11	0.71	8
Standard Gas & Electric		—	—	50	6.59	D 1.95	D 0.99	D 1.33	nil
Standard Oil of N.J.	25	2.25†	J. D. 15	44	3.47	1.76	3.73	5.64	4
Texas Gulf Sulphur		2.50†	Mar. 15	16	5.21	1.81	2.56	3.02	7
Union Carbide & Carbon		2.80†	Jan. 2	26	3.40	2.28	4.14	4.81	3
Union Pacific Railway	100	6	Jan. 2	198	17.53	6.63	8.20	6.15	7
United Aircraft	5	1†	Irregular	7	—	D 0.01	0.76	1.52	4
United Airlines	5	—	—	8	—	D 2.19	0.26	D 0.52	nil
United Corp.		0.20	Irregular	7	0.55	0.17	0.19	0.22	8
United Gas Improvement		1	Mar. 23	11	1.29	1.19	1.09	1.09	10
U.S. Indus. Alcohol		—	—	33	7.57	4.04	D 0.20	D 1.17	nil
U.S. Rubber	10	—	—	13	nil	D 3.15	3.31	2.21	nil
U.S. Steel		1†	Irregular	140	12.90	D 5.39	2.91	8.01	2
Vanadium		1†	Irregular	26	4.59	D 2.29	0.40	2.22	5
Warner Bros. Pictures	5	—	—	15	1.84	D 0.77	0.75	1.48	nil
Westinghouse Elec.	50	5†	Feb. 28	67	7.22	D 0.04	5.67	7.53	5

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In the Russian Colony

By "Stroy"

They Very Rev. M. Rogojin, who has just returned here from Peiping, tells that the Russian Orthodox Mission in that city, headed by Bishop Victor, has lately been very active. Attention has been given to the vast tracts of land presented to the Mission by the Imperial Government of China. Prior to the Russian revolution the Mission was the recipient of regular monetary help from the Tsarist Government, did active missionary work in Manchuria, North China and in other parts of the country, and also owned what was at one time the best printing press in Peiping. In addition to publishing religious books both in Chinese and Russian, the Mission published many scientific volumes written by its priests, some of whom had wide fame as Sinologues. Among these may be mentioned the works of Father Hyacinth, Archimandrite Pavel, Tsvetkov, Zaharov and others. The heads of the Mission also had a reputation for being scholars. For instance Mitropolite Innokenty, who died several years ago, compiled a comprehensive Russo-Chinese Dictionary. At present the Mission directs all Russian church life in China. The Russian clerical world is divided into two parts—those of the black cloth and those of the white cloth. In the first category are monks, while into the second fall priests and priors. A special administrative body is at present being formed in Peiping to direct the activities of the "white clergy," and the Very Rev. M. Rogojin has received the permission of Bishop Victor to draft the plan of this new administration.

There are several vacancies in the Russian Regiment of the French Police, the local emigrant press informs. Men wishing to join the Regiment must be of good health, be no shorter than 1 metre and 72 centimeters, and no older than 30 years of age, and must have an unblemished record. Names of candidates are being taken at the police headquarters at 22 Rue Stanislas Chevalier.

Actors, Actresses to Amalgamate

Local Russian actors and actresses have decided to amalgamate and thus make a troupe capable of staging really artistic productions. The initiative of this movement goes to Mrs. Z. A. Pribitkova. The committee also includes Mme L. N. Kniajevitch, Messrs. S. A. Tomsky, L. L. Gaidarov and V. V. Lorenz. Remuneration will be done on a point system, in order to give each member of the troupe the feeling that he has a say in its direction. The season will commence in the first part of October, and by tradition the opening night will present the Russian public with one of the classics of the Russian theatre.

The well-known Hankow millionairess, Mrs. E. N. Litvinova, who was forced by the hostilities to leave for a rest to Tsingtao, had valuables and money stolen from her on the very night of her birthday, news has come from that city. Mrs. Litvinova had reached her 70th birthday, and a number of her friends visited her in the evening. After a religious service the guests and hostess sat down to dinner, and after the party was over Mrs. Litvinova went to bed. She was awakened by a thief climbing through her window. She screamed, flung herself at the window and even jumped into the garden below. But the thief had flown with her watch and handbag containing money.

Harbin Living Cheap

The colony's housewives recently learned with jealousy of the sensationally cheap prices of food in Harbin compared to the ones current in Shanghai. Meat in Harbin at present costs 28 cents a pound, pork 32 cents a pound. White bread costs 13 cents, while grey bread is bought for as little as 11 cents. Flour also costs 13 cents a pound. A bottle of milk in Harbin costs 10 cents. Pure butter costs from 80 cents to $1.00, kitchen butter 27 cents. "Holland" cheese costs from 45 cents to 75 cents, and is of excellent quality. Cabbage costs 2½ cents a pound, carrots 3 cents per ten, potatoes from 1½ to 2 cents a pound, while 80 cents will buy 100 tomatoes. Sugar, it is true, costs 18 cents a pound, as much as it costs locally, but fresh lemon is sold for only 25 cents a pound. The prices of fruit are also very low. And, to get away from the compradore shop, a comfortable flat can be had for $50 a month, a fully furnished room for $20, a bus-ride to any end of the town for 5 cents, and taxi conveyance for the maximum sum of 10 cents.

How Russians Manage Locally

Is it possible to live in Shanghai on $75 a month? Since this sum represents the average earning of the Russian employee of this city, an investigation into the matter was started by the "Shanghai Zaria," arriving at different figures in the case of a young woman and in that of a man. A room cost the average self-supporting young girl $21—$1 being the traditional "Cum-shaw" for the boy. Food costs her $35 a month, since she is unable to take time off from her work to cook herself and therefore must eat in a restaurant or in the boarding-house where she stays. Thus board and lodging together costs her $56, leaving $19 with which she must cover her modest expenses for the laundry, spend $2 to $3 monthly on cosmetics and spend a few dollars on transportation. There remains $10 to spend on dresses—a sum that is generally agreed to be not very adequate. One girl, however, revealed a secret method she employs for having more money left to spend on clothes. "You see," she said, "you can't economize on cosmetics, and you can't economize any more on the room. So the only thing left to economize on is the food. In this respect a desire to reduce helps a lot. Also most of us girls have "boy-friends," or just male companions. They often ask us "out," and if we accept it means added economy. Actually food costs me no more than $20. And this means that each month I have about $25 to spend on clothes. Which makes things kind of easier."

To a man, however, living no $75 a month is far from easy—almost impossible, in fact. A room for which a girl would pay $20, costs him $25, it being one of the theories of housewives that a man is more self-supporting than a girl. Food costs him $40 a month, and the remaining few dollars barely suffice to pay for the laundry, cigarettes and a few amusements. The clothes-question is an acute one, and if it were not for the existence of second-hand shops in Shanghai, it would be well-nigh unsolvable. Even so, the purchase of a new suit usually means rigid economy on food and visits to friends around dinner-time. Also he has lady-friends whom he must take to a cinema or dancing, and what remains of his $75 is never enough to cover that. As a result he is constantly in debt.

A Mere Existence

In the Russian colony there are also families who, impossible as it may seem, contrive to live on $75 a month. Here, of course, every ten-cent piece acquires new significance. The room costs the family a minimum of $25, and food from $40 to $45, housewives revealing a flair for ingeniously making ends meet. On $1 or $1.20 they can make a simple but wholesome meal for the whole day. The question of clothes can only be solved by some extra earnings made by the wife or husband. Once or twice a month the family goes to a cheap cinema, but a cabaret is out of the question. Yet in spite of the hard existence led by these families, they live in amity and, in a measure, happiness.

Mr. B. A. Serov, ballet-master, stage-director and artist, and his wife Prima-ballerina O. P. Manjelei, have arrived here from Harbin. Plans have been made to secure their help in the local Russian Operetta.

Increase Coal Production

Tokyo, Sept. 10.

In order to meet an increasing Japanese demand, the Kailan Mining Administration a British concern which works rich coal mines between Tientsin and Shanhaikwan, is increasing its annual output from 5,500,000 to 6,500,000 tons under a decision reached by the board of directors of the administration, Mr. E. J. Nathan, chief manager, said in a cable received by his associates here today.

The Kailan Coal Marketing Company, a Japanese concern which is importing 1,700,000 tons of coal from the British concern this year, will increase its purchases to 2,500,000 tons next year, it was simultaneously announced.—Domei.

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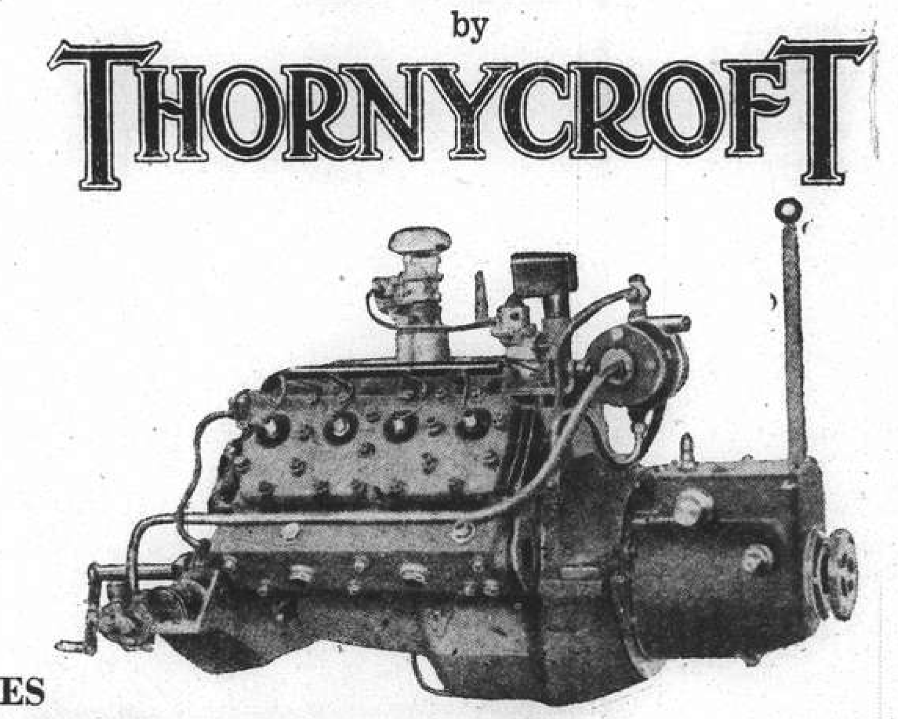

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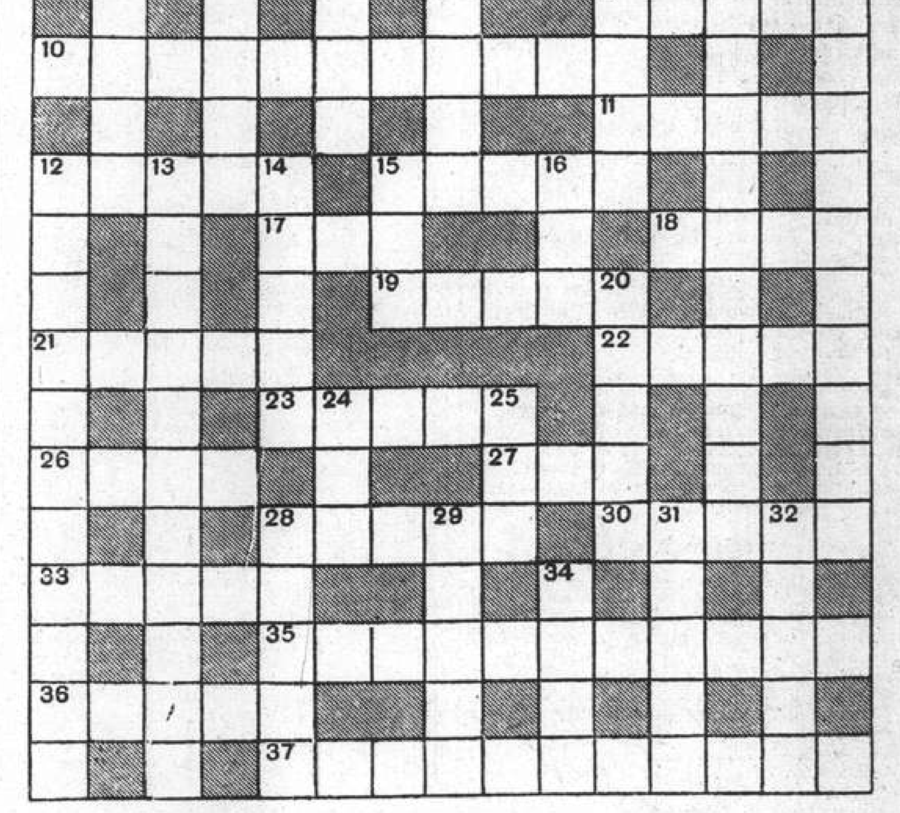

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1 Something very hard to resolve that might be on at Dorking for a change (two words)
9 No single Oriental has any right to it surely
10 Whereon in America one might see animals of various brands, and whereon this (two words)
11 Defective service, possibly
12 Soundly received by the middle of it
15 Is proverbially hard, but soft if beheaded
17 May be a mere winter coating
18 A ruler
19 14 down has to get down to it
21 A lazy sound?
22 He can make you see stars if you look at him
23 A high-line
26 It usually finds a resting place in woods
27 It would be a sweet one in stone
28 Bird
30 Foolscap may be, and so may any cap
33 This sort of occurrence has a grave sequel, as a rule
35 Unusual (four words)
36 Not a spare drink
37 A relative

DOWN

2 Needless advice to the talkative
3 Let mine follow to ascertain
4 The first recorded casualty
5 It has a shady population
6 The thought behind the contemplation of this is abstract
7 What the smith works on is rough in part (two words)
8 Having grasped nothing at all apparently
12 Description of a bullet that admits of no variation (three words)
13 A popular game
14 He is not in his element when doing his job
15 This is reversed on a halfpenny
16 Without the thread it cannot be made fast
20 More than a whole town, but less than a decent house
24 In a thing it is getting less 36 across
25 From 27 across to this is only a small change
28 This won't hurry the job along
29 A stage in the life of a book
31 An inter-change
32 Dodge
34 22 across has more than one

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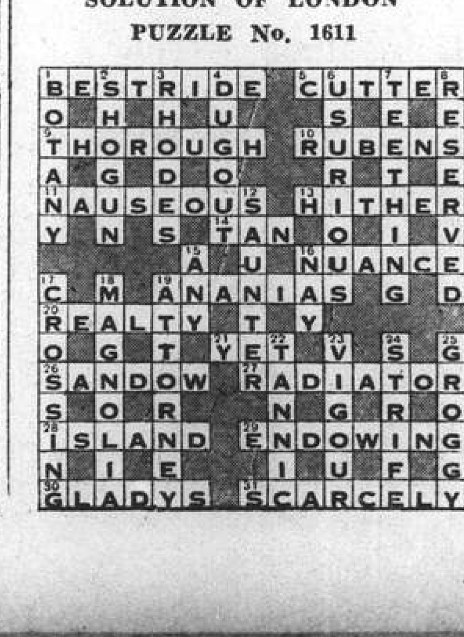

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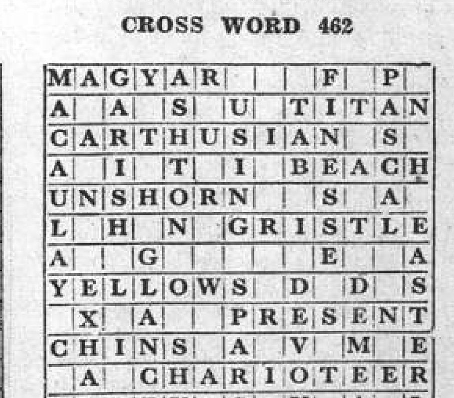

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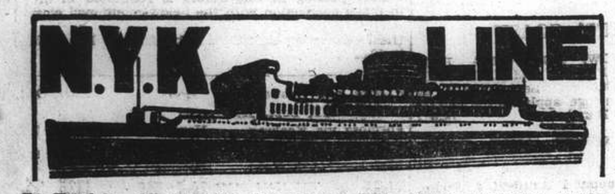

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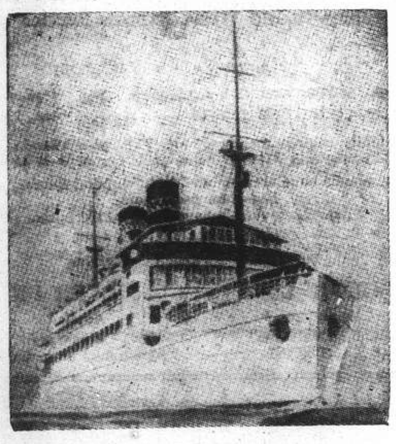

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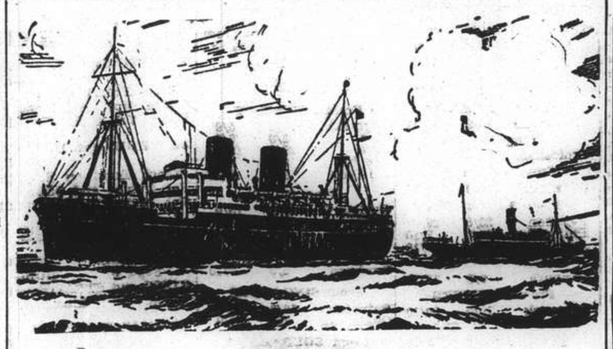

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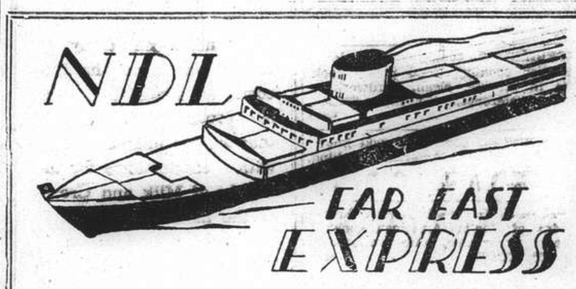

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Vessels Arriving

The first date is that of the ship's departure from the Port under which she appears; the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai.

EUROPE AND STRAITS

Name	Left	Due
From FINLAND		
Tamerlane	10/9	6/11
From GDYNIA		
Protesilaus	23/8	13/10
From GLASGOW		
Ajax	10/9	27/10
From LIVERPOOL		
Memnon	20/8	29/9
Philoctetes	27/8	7/10
Agapenor	10/9	24/10
From LONDON		
Ranpura	9/9	17/10
From ANTWERP		
Danmark	10/9	30/10
From HAMBURG		
Potsdam	3/9	8/10
From ROTTERDAM		
Rames	2/9	21/10
From MARSEILLES		
Antenor	9/9	13/10
From TRIESTE		
Cortellazzo	20/8	7/10
From PORT SAID		
Touraine	16/8	15/9
Elbe	2/9	26/9
Java	29/8	28/9
Ranchi	8/9	2/10
Tai Ping	9/9	7/10
From SUEZ		
Cyclops	16/8	15/9
Mentor	25/8	24/9
Neumark	2/9	3/10
From ADEN		
Burdwan	6/9	3/10
From SINGAPORE		
Rajputana	10/9	18/9
Oldenburg	7/9	23/9
From SOURABAYA		
Tjinegara	9/9	25/9
From CHERIBON		
Tjisaroea	10/9	26/9
From MANILA		
C. of Oran	7/9	17/9
Eurymedon	9/9	17/9

AMERICA AND JAPAN

Name	Left	Due
From HOBERT		
Talthybius	5/9	28/9
From NEW YORK		
Mar. Maersk	10/8	25/9
Tweedbank	6/8	30/9
C. Athens	17/8	14/10
Trisbank	7/9	25/10
From SAVANNAH		
Adrastus	31/8	16/10
From SHIMIDZU		
Behar	10/9	19/9
From YOKOHAMA		
Sarpedon	9/9	16/9

AFRICA AND AUSTRALIA

Name	Left	Due
From DURBAN		
Boissevain	23/8	25/9
From HOBERT		
Nellore	3/9	9/10

CHINA PORTS

Name	Left	Due
From DAIREN		
Hoten M.	—	12/9
Dairen M.	—	14/9
From TIENTSIN		
Yatshing	—	13/9
Hunan	12/9	15/9
Wingsang	—	15/9
Hupeh	12/9	16/9
From CHEFOO		
Leesang	—	12/9
From SWATOW		
Newchwang	11/9	14/9
From HONGKONG		
Hangsang	—	12/9
Patroclus	9/9	12/9
Kiangsu	9/9	13/9
Chengtu	11/9	15/9
Chaksang	—	15/9

Vessels Leaving

NORTH CHINA COAST

HANGSANG Sept. 14. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Buoy on Wednesday, September 14, at daylight For freight apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 13-9

SHENGKING Sept. 14. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Wednesday, September 14, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 14-9

CHUNGKING Sept. 15. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Thursday, September 15, at 1 p.m. For freight apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 15-9

CHAKSANG Sept. 17. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Saturday, September 17. "B" Class Accommodation is Available. Fort freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 17-9

SOUTH CHINA COAST

NINGHAI Sept. 12. WENCHOW, SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON. — From French Bund on Monday, September 12, at noon. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 12-9

TAIYUAN Sept. 13. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—From French Bund on Tuesday, September 13, at noon. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 13-9

SUIYANG Sept. 14. AMOY, HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—From French Bund on Wednesday, September 14, at 1 p.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 14-9

LEESANG Sept. 15. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Thursday, September 15, at a.m. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 15-9

NEWCHWANG Sept. 16. SWATOW, HONGKONG and CANTON.—From French Bund on Friday, September 16, at noon. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 16-9

YATSHING Sept. 16. SWATOW, HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG. —Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Friday, September 16. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 16-9

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Vessels Leaving

SOUTH CHINA COAST

KIANGSU Sept. 17. SWATOW, HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG. —From French Bund on Saturday, September 17, at 6 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 16-9

SOOCHOW Sept. 18. CHUANCHOW, AMOY, HONGKONG and CANTON. — From French Bund on Sunday, September 18, at 6 a.m. For freight and passage apply Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 17-9

STRAITS AND EUROPE

GLENSHIEL Sept. 12. LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and ANTWERP via HONGKONG and STRAITS.—Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Agents, Glen Line Ltd. Tel. 15290. 12-9

CHITRAL Sept. 13. MARSEILLES and LONDON via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, PORT SAID and MALTA. —Last tender will leave the Customs Jetty at 9.30 a.m. on Tuesday, Sept. 13. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, P. & O. S. N. Co., No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 13-9

MARECHAL JOFFRE Sept. 15. MARSEILLES via HONGKONG SAIGON, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, DJIBOUTI, SUEZ and PORT SAID.—Messageries Maritimes, 9 Avenue Edward VII. Tel. 82034. 15-9

TALABOT Sept. 15. CASABLANCA, ANTWERP ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and OSLO via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE and PORT SAID.—Motor vessel Talabot of the Wilhelmsen Lines will be despatched from Shanghai on September 15, for the abovementioned ports. Through Bills of Lading issued for all Scandinavian and Baltic ports. For freight or passage please apply to Dodwell and Company, Ltd., 17 Canton Road. Tel. 11366. 15-9

VICTORIA Sept. 15. NAPLES and GENOA via HONGKONG, MANILA, SINGAPORE, BOMBAY, ADEN, MASSOWA and PORT SAID.—The Lloyd Triestino m.v. Victoria will sail from Shanghai on September 15, at 11 a.m. sharp. For Freight and Passage apply Lloyd Triestino, 26 The Bund. Tel. 16885. 15-9

SARPEDON Sept. 17. MARSEILLES, LONDON, ROTTERDAM and GLASGOW via ADEN.—For freight and passage apply Agents, Butterfield & Swire, 21 French Bund. Tel. 82020. 17-9

LAOMEDON Sept. 19. HAVRE, LIVERPOOL and BROMBOROUGH.—For freight and passage apply agents, Butterfield & Swire, 21 French Bund. Tel. 82020. 19-9

REGENSBURG Sept. 19. MALTA, MARSEILLES, CASABLANCA, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and BREMEN via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, BELAWAN, PORT SAID.—For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., General-Agents, N.D.L., 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 19-9

SCHARNHORST Sept. 20. GENOA, SOUTHAMPTON, ROTTERDAM, BREMEN and HAMBURG via HONGKONG, MANILA, SINGAPORE, PENANG, BELAWAN, COLOMBO and PORT SAID. —For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., General Agents, N.D.L., 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 20-9

INDIA Sept. 22. PORT SAID, JAFFA, HAIFA, CASABLANCA, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and COPENHAGEN via HONGKONG, MANILA and SINGAPORE.—The East Asiatic Co.'s Motorship India, Captain S. Krarup, will be despatched from Shanghai on or about September 22, for the above-mentioned ports. Cargo accepted on through Bills of Lading to all Continental, Baltic and Scandinavian ports. Optional Bills of Lading issued to U.K. ports. For freight and passage apply to Agency of The East Asiatic Co., Ltd., 17 Canton Road. Tel. 15055. 22-9

NAGARA Sept. 25. ALGIERS, ORAN, CASABLANCA, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG, OSLO and GOTHENBURG.—The Swedish East Asiatic Co., Ltd.'s m.s. Nagara will leave Shanghai on or about September 25, for the above mentioned port. Through Bills of Lading to all Scandinavian and Baltic ports. Cargo for U.K. ports accepted on optional Bills of Lading. For freight and passage please apply to The Ekman Foreign Agencies, Ltd., Hamilton House, Foochow Road Entrance. Tel. 11330. 25-9

YANGTSE Sept. 26. ORAN, CASABLANCA, HAVRE, ANTWERP, DUNKIRK via ADEN and PORT SAID.—For particulars apply to Messageries Maritimes, 9 Avenue Edward VII. Tel. 82034. 26-9

AMERICA

GERTRUDE MAERSK Sept. 16. LOS ANGELES and via PANAMA to NEW YORK, BOSTON, PHILADELPHIA, BALTIMORE, SAVANNAH and NORFOLK.—For freight and passage apply to Melchers & Co., Agents, Maersk Line, 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566. 16-9

Vessels Discharging

SCHARNHORST. The Norddeutscher Lloyd s.s. Scharnhorst, from Bremen, Hamburg, Rotterdam and Genoa via Ports is now discharging her cargo at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf, Shanghai Side. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their cargo. Consignees are further notified that the steamer Scharnhorst has taken at Bremen and Hamburg through cargo for Shanghai ex steamer Strauss, Optima, Bonn, Erna and Halmsted, from Helsinki, Rauma, Oslo, Riga and Malmo. All risk of fire at the wharf and godowns to be borne by consignees. Any claims against this vessel must be sent in within (15) fifteen days after the vessel's arrival, otherwise they will not be recognized. Damaged cargo to be examined at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf, Shanghai Side by Messrs. Tesdorpf, Hannig & Co., on Thursday morning, September 15, at 9 a.m. Norddeutscher Lloyd, Bremen, General Agents: Melchers & Co., No. 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. No. 15566. 12-9

Post Office Notices

Earlier posting in Sub-Offices is requested in order to make connection with the below-mentioned closing times.
(Last connecting time from Sub-Offices to Head Office is 19.05 daily).

Date and Destination	*Per*	*Reg.*	*Ord.*
MONDAY, Sept. 12.			
Formosa via Keelung	Hongkong M.	*19.00	7.30
Wenchow Swatow H'kong and Canton	Ninghai	9.00	9.30
Wenchow	Tembien	12.30	13.00
Foochow	F. Consolini	13.30	14.00
Wenchow	Don Luis	14.30	15.00
Manila and Europe (Y) ..	Leverkusen AX	14.30	15.00
Kiangpei Offices east of Haian	Tejo	16.30	17.00
TUESDAY, Sept. 13.			
Japan Korea Formosa via Nagasaki	Nagasaki M.	*19.00	7.15
U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia	Shengking	*19.00	7.30
Tsingtao Wei. C'foo T'tsin	Shengking	*20.00	7.30
Aust. N.Z. S.S. India Suez (Y) Europe (Y)	Chitral B	*19.00	8.00
Hongkong and Canton ..	Chitral	7.30	8.00
Foochow	Prominent	8.00	8.30
Tsingtao and Dairen	Hoten M.	8.00	8.30
Swatow Hongkong Canton	Taiyuan	9.00	9.30
Haimen Che.	Hanna	11.30	12.00
Haimen Che.	Santarem	12.30	13.00
Nantung	Nantung M.	14.30	15.00
Indo-China (Z) via H'phong	Suiyang C	—	—
Tsingtao Chefoo Tientsin	Hangsang	18.00	18.30

* The night before.
A Parcel mail for Ceylon, Italy, Holland, Germany and other countries, closes at 12.00 on 12th.
B Parcel mail for S.S., Gt. Britain and other countries, closes at 16.00 on 12th.
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Via Siberia by steamer to Tientsin or Chinwangtao for transmission.

Next steamer mails will be closed as follow :—
ss. Chitral, via Suez, September 13, due London October 15.
ss. Victoria, via Suez, September 15, due London October 10.
ss. Empress of Japan, via Pacific, September 18, due London October 14.

Air Mails

Imperial Airways Service (Hongkong-Bangkok-London and Hongkong-Bangkok-Singapore-Australia) per ss. Chitral, at 8.00 a.m. on September 13, and due Rome on September 25, and London on September 26.

Pan American Airways Service (Hongkong-San Francisco per ss. Victoria, at 8.00 a.m. on Sept. 15, and due San Francisco, on September 28.

Neth. (K.L.M.) Air Mail Service (Bandoeng-Amsterdam) per ss. Chitral, at 8.00 a.m. on September 13, and due Amsterdam on September 27, and London on September 28.

Air France (Saigon-Marseilles Line) per ss. Marechal Joffre, at 3.30 p.m. on September 14, and due Paris and London on September 30.

Air France (China-Hanoi-Marseilles Lines) per available str. to H'kong for transmission via Canton.

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Via C.N.A.C. or Eurasia planes sent to Hongkong for further transmission.

Train Mail

Light mails for or via Pengpu, Wuhu, Hangchow and N.S.R. close daily, at 8.30 p.m.

Light mails for or via River Ports beyond Kiukiang per available steamer via Canton.

Vessels Discharging

STEEL TRAVELER. The Isthmian Steamship Company's ss. Steel Traveler, from U.S.A. via Ports.—This steamer is now discharging her cargo (except Prohibited Articles and Dangerous Goods) into the godown of the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Company's Pootung Wharf. Consignees of cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for counter signature and take immediate delivery of their cargo. Consignees of bulk cargo are further requested to send their representative to the wharf to verify the weight of such cargo while it is being landed. All claims against this steamer must be sent in within 14 days from date of steamer's arrival or they will not be recognized. Ship damaged cargo will be examined only on September 15, 1938, Thursday commencing, at 9 a.m. in accordance with Customs Regulations governing same. All risk of fire at the godown and wharf to be borne by the Consignees. Isthmian Steamship Company. 12-9

TOURCOING. The Maersk Line m.s. Tourcoing, from New York, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Norfolk, Savannah, Los Angeles, Yokohama and Kobe via Ports is now discharging her cargo at the Hunt's Wharf. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their cargo. All risk of fire at the wharf and godowns to be borne by consignees. Any claims against this vessel must be sent in within (15) fifteen days after the vessel's arrival, otherwise they will not be recognized. Damaged cargo to be examined at the Hunt's Wharf by Messrs. Paulsen & Bayes Davy on Wednesday morning, September 14, at 9 a.m. Maersk Line Agents: Melchers & Co., 210-214 Kiukiang Road. Tel. 15566 12-9

TROJA. The ms. Troja, from Oslo via Ports is now discharging her cargo at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Co.'s Old Ningpoo Wharf. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their cargo. All risk of fire at the wharf and godowns is to be borne by Consignees. Any claims against this vessel must be sent in within fifteen (15) days after vessel's arrival, otherwise they will not be recognized. Examination of broken and ship-damaged cargo will be held at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Co.'s Old Ningpoo Wharf on September 14, 1938, at 9 a.m., when Messrs. Paulsen & Bayes-Davy will be in attendance. Dodwell & Co., Ltd., Agents, 17 Canton Road. Tel. 11369. 12-9

Yesterday's Arrivals

Name	*From*	*Consignees*
Haikong	Hsinkong	Keh Lee
Elsie Moller	C'kiakong	W.T.K.
Tungwo	Hsinkong	Jardine
Sandro Sandri	C'yingsha	W.T.K.
Marie Moller	Tungchow	Mollers'
Don Luise	Wenchow	C.F.S.S.
Glenshiel	Dairen	Jardine
Santarem	Haimen	P.N.&T.
Prosper	Foochow	H. Changan
Prominent	Tientsin	H. Changan
Hanna	Haimen	G.F.E.
Soochow	Hongkong	B.&S.
Chitral	Japan	Mackenzie
Victoria	Hongkong	L. Triestino
Minho	Wenchow	An Ting
Suiwo	Sanchakong	Jardine
Ingeren	C'wangtao	K.M.A.
Liwo	Chitung	Jardine
Kiangting	Tungchow	Foo Hwa
Wusueh	Hupukow	B.&S.

Men-of-War in Port

Name	*Flag*	*Type*	*Berthed*
Aphis	Br.	Gbt.	B.N.B.
Suffolk	Br.	Cr.	B.N.B.
Asheville	Am.	Gbt.	U.S.N.B.
Oahu	Am.	Gbt.	U.S.N.B.
Primauguet	Fr.	Cr.	F.N.B.
E. Carlotto	Itl.	Gbt.	G. Pont.
Lepanto	Itl.	Gbt.	J.N.B.
Montecuccoli	Itl.	Cr.	1/2 B.
Bakal M. 174	Jap.	Res.	O.S.K.Y.W.
Harusami 2	Jap.	Dest.	4 B.
Katuragi M.	Jap.	Tr.	7 B.
Kikasa M.	Jap.	Tr.	C.M.C.W.
Koti M.	Jap.	Tr.	O.S.K.Y.W.
Kuma	Jap.	Cr.	N.Y.K.M.W.
Yamayuri M.	Jap.	Tr.	C.M.L.W.

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Name	*Flag*	*Despatcher*
Tourcoing	Nor.	Melchers
Pipina	Gre.	H. Changan
Marie Moller	Br.	Mollers'
H. Tseangtah	Br.	T.C.C.
Haikong	Ger.	Keh Lee
Hertha	Ger.	G.F.E.
Faro	Port.	P.N.&T.
Sandro Sandri	Ital.	W.T.K.
Takunan M.	Jap.	N.K.K.
Tejo	Port.	P.N.&T.
Kinrei M.	Jap.	M.B.K.
Whangpu	Br.	B.&S.
Dragao	Port.	P.N.&T.
Scharnhorst	Ger.	Melchers
Tseangtah	Br.	Mow Tung
Shanghai M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Shuntien	Br.	B.&S.
Silverwalnut	Br.	J.C.J.L.
Tsingtao M.	Jap.	D.K.K.
Kwaisang	Br.	Jardine
Elbhof	Ger.	Carlowitz
Meinan	Am.	S.O.C.
Com. Paolini	Ital.	I.C.R.N.
Nils Moller	Br.	Mollers'

In Harbour or Dock

Name	*Flag*	*Berthed*
Aegeus	Gre.	Buoys 31-32
Analock	Br.	Int. D.W.
Asiatica	Br.	A.P.C.L.W
Breiva	Nor.	Y.P.D.
Chungking	Br.	C.N.W.P.
Daishin M.	Jap.	Buoys 25-26
Deslock	Br.	Buoys 13-14
Dunkeld	Br.	Buoys 33-34
F. Consolini	Ital	—
Festa	Port.	K.L.Y.W.
Fingal	Nor.	Buoys 18-19
Fuhwo	Br.	Gardens
Fukwang	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Gladys Moller	Br.	Int. D.W.
Hilda Moller	Br.	Y.P.D.
Hongkong M.	Jap.	O.S.K.Y.W.
Hsin Peking	Br.	C.N.C.W.
Ikwang	Br.	A.P.C.L.W.
J. Justesen	Dan.	K.M.A.W.
Josephine Moller	Br.	O.D.W.
Kaysieg	—	Y.P.D.W.
Kintang	Br.	C.N.W.P.
Kungwo	Br.	Buoys 29-30
Lilian Moller	Br.	L.S.
Lyder Sagen	Nor.	P.W.W.
Mendelta	Br.	Int. D.W.
Nancy Moller	Br.	I.D.W.
Ninghai	Br.	C.N.W.P.
Nordwind	—	H.S.W.P.
Norse Trader	Pan.	Buoys 32-33
Pacific	Dan.	Buoys 19-20
Shinfu	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Shinkuang	Br.	—
Silksworth	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Siushan	Br.	C.N.W.P.
Steel Traveler	Am.	P.W.E.
St. V. de Paul	Br.	K.L.Y.W.
Suiting	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Tachi M.	Jap.	Buoys 25-26
Taishin M.	Jap.	Buoys 27-28
Taiyuan	Br.	C.N.W.P.
Tatung	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Tembien	Ital.	Gardens
Tienkwang	Br.	A.P.C.O.W.
Troja	Nor.	O.N.W.
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Weather, Time and Tide

Monday, September 12, 1938 (19th day of 7th moon)	SICCAWEI September 10 16.00	21.00	September 11 4.00	9.00	GUTZLAFF 9.00	14.00
Barometer inches	29.85	29.91	29.93	29.99	—	—
at 32 F. (variation for 24 hrs.)	+0.14	+0.12	+0.14	+0.11	—	—
at 32 F. (,, ,, 12 hrs.)	+0.06	+0.03	+0.08	+0.08	—	—
Wind (direction)	NNW	SSW	NW	E	—	—
,, (miles per hour)	5.6	3.7	1.2	3.1	—	—
Temperature (Fahr.)	83.°5	68.°7	62.°4	77.°7	—	—
Humidity %	55	92	98	48	—	—
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	3	0	2	7	—	—
Rainfall inches	—	—	—	—	—	—

Siccawei Abridged Report September 10	Mean 1938	24 hours variation	Previous average same period (65 years)
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	29.86	+0.11	29.87
Temp. Min. 70.°9 Max. 87.°3	79.°1	—1.°6	74.°8
Total rainfall January 1 to midnight before last (inches)	42.67	—	35.52

Date	12/9	13/9	14/9	15/9	16/9	17/9	18/9	19/9	20/9
Sun rises at Shanghai......	6.35	5.36	5.36	5.37	5.38	5.39	5.39	5.40	5.41
Sun sets at Shanghai	6.05	6.04	6.02	6.01	6.00	5.58	5.57	5.55	5.54
Moon rises at Shanghai	19.30	20.11	20.56	21.47	22.43	23.43	—	0.47	1.54
Moon sets at Shanghai	7.59	8.59	10.01	11.02	12.02	12.51	13.53	14.42	15.27
Flood makes Shai. 6 to 18.00	11.40	12.25	13.07	13.45	14.30	15.24	16.35	18.00	6.48
Ebb makes Shai. 6 to 18.00	17.10	17.45	18.26	6.30	7.16	8.07	9.19	10.53	12.11
H.W. W'sung Bar 6 to 18.00	13.18	13.44	14.29	15.12	15.38	16.45	5.09	7.39	9.14
Height above LLW. (feet)..	11.24	10.48	10.30	9.70	9.05	7.85	6.75	6.60	7.75